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THE  
Charities of San Francisco  
A DIRECTORY

Of the Benevolent and Correctional Agencies, together  
with a Digest of those Laws most directly  
affecting their work.

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# INTRODUCTION

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So far as the writer can learn, this Directory gives a more or less full account of every organized charity in San Francisco, as well as those outside of the city where residents may be relieved (\*), with the exception of seventy-five of the churches (†), concerning whose charity work it was impossible to obtain any data. No pains were spared in getting at the facts. Guess work was not indulged in, but a patient siege was laid, if necessary, to every institution and society, until it yielded the desired statistics. (‡) There has been, of course, no going behind the returns, since the writer held no official position which would give him the liberty of investigating; the figures, therefore, are only as reliable as the annual reports, with which they were compared whenever possible.

## STATISTICS

There are at present 204 charitable agencies that relieve the needy of San Francisco. During the year 1893 (††) they expended, exclusive of receipts from beneficiaries, \$1,380,509.86. It should be borne in mind that this does not give an adequate idea of the benevolent work of the city, for, as before stated, no account of the local benevolence of seventy-five (||) of the churches was obtained, and it does not include, of course, an estimate of the amount given privately, a form of charity unusually common in San Francisco. The above figures are based entirely on the statistics in the body of this book, excepting that in several instances the facts were obtained only on condition that they appear, if at all, in the total amount. (\*\*) Following are the summaries by departments.

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(\*) The five State Insane Asylums, the two State Reform Schools, the State Home for Feeble Minded, the two State Schools for the Blind, the National Soldiers' Home, the State Veterans' Home, Fred Finch Orphanage, Bishop Armitage Church Orphanage, and St. Vincent Orphan Asylum. (†) Some of the 75 probably give nothing in relief. (‡) Mutual benefit societies are omitted, as being a form of insurance rather than charity.

(††) The statistics are made up from the report of the last year attainable. Reference to the body of the work will show that only a part of the charitable agencies ended their year Dec. 31, 1893. Some had not existed a full year, and figures were given as late as possible. (||) These probably dispense \$30,000 more, for they include some of the largest churches of the city. (\*\*) The manager of one institution declined to have a financial statement published in any other way, "because," he said, "it would not make a good showing."

## SANITATION AND MEDICAL RELIEF

<i>Institutions.</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>Private.</i>	<i>City.</i>	<i>State.</i>	<i>Nation.</i>	<i>Total.</i>
Public .....	4		\$ 51,517 65			\$ 51,517 65
Hospitals.....						
15,712 patients..	10	\$88,851 75	102,371 73	\$ 3,601 82	\$31,631 29	226,456.59
Dispensaries.....						
57,762 visits.....	9	4,756 52	8,385 26			13,141 78
Insane Asylums.....				31,563 77		
317 patients.....	5		4,630 00			36,193 77
Miscellaneous ....	2	2,737 50	6,150 00			8,887 50
Total.....	30	\$96,345 77	\$173,054 64	\$35,165 59	\$31,631 29	\$336,197 29

In the four departments managed by city officials, the totals are made up from the itemized report of the auditor rather than from the annual reports of the departments. This has been done because there are often discrepancies between the two accounts, owing to the fact that the city is unable to pay all bills for the current year. Of course, all bills audited must be paid sometime. In the case of hospitals, I have deducted from the total expenditures the amount received from paying-patients, and in the case of dispensaries, the amount received for medicines. No account is taken of the value of medical advice, which is always free, but only of medicines given away, rent of office, etc. While I have given a full account of the five insane asylums of the State, I have included in this summary only the amount expended in the care of those that were received from San Francisco.

## OUT-DOOR RELIEF

<i>Institutions.</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>Persons.</i>	<i>Private.</i>	<i>City.</i>	<i>Total.</i>
*Public .....	2	10,000		\$ 7,395 80	\$7,395 80
General Relief Societies....	14	40,900	\$166,754 03		166,754 03
National Relief Societies...	11	10,100	114,967 55		114,967 55
Churches.....	43	5,200	26,841 27		26,841 27
Total.....	70	67,200	\$308,562 85	\$ 7,395 80	\$315,958 65

Reference to the body of the book will show that in most cases the total expenditures of the societies have been given. The sum total, then, represents not only the money actually given to the needy, but also the cost of giving it. The seventy-five churches that did not report probably expended over \$30,000 more.

\*There is properly no official out-door relief in San Francisco. Two sums go to make up the total given—the Robinson Bequest Fund, disbursed by the mayor (\$2,395.80), and the \$5,000 annually received from the Police Fund (See Consolidation Act, Supplement XLVI. April 1, 1870, Sec. 1), which is distributed by the San Francisco Benevolent Society.

## INSTITUTIONAL RELIEF

<i>Institutions.</i>	<i>Private.</i>	<i>City.</i>	<i>State.</i>	<i>Nation.</i>	<i>Total.</i>
Old Peoples' Homes.....	\$ 35,898 01	\$ 46,351 21	\$ 74,696 99	\$124,089 20	\$281,030 41
Orphan Asylums .....	137,333 47	4,250 00	120,929 18	.....	262,512 65
Co-operative Homes.....	8,712 81	.....	.....	.....	8,712 81
Temporary Homes.....	13,120 30	.....	.....	.....	13,120 30
Total .....	\$195,059.59	\$50,601 21	\$195,626 17	\$124,089 20	\$565,376 17

In the case of the Old Peoples' Homes and Orphan Asylums, I have deducted the amounts received for board of the inmates, but not the amounts expended for repairs. In all instances this was slight, and doubtless every year will call for as large an outlay. For the three asylums outside the city, the cost of maintaining the children received from San Francisco only, is included. The amount against co-operative homes is small, because it represents only what was actually not paid for by the beneficiaries.

## PREVENTATIVE AND RESCUE WORK

<i>Institutions.</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>Inmates.</i>	<i>Private.</i>
Preventative .....	7	3,804	\$ 9,029 96
Rescue Homes .....	5	395	34,961 7L
Total.....	13	4,199	\$ 43,991 73

The sum earned by the girls while residing at the Homes has been deducted from the total amount expended. In one instance (†) the home was almost entirely supported in this way.

## EDUCATIONAL

<i>Institutions.</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>Pupils.</i>	<i>Private.</i>	<i>City.</i>	<i>State.</i>	<i>Total.</i>
Kindergartens .....	44	4,138	\$ 43,360 95	.....	.....	\$ 43,360 95
Clubs.....	3	271	967 15	.....	.....	967 15
Schools .....	4	262	.....	.....	\$33,894 49	33,894 49
*Public Library.....	1	.....	.....	\$36,665 27	.....	36,665 27
Total .....	52	4,671	\$44,328 10	\$36,665 27	\$33,894 49	\$114,887 86

\* Visitors, 300,000.

Against schools is placed only the sum which it cost the State to maintain and educate pupils from San Francisco. No figures are given for the St. Francis Technical School, since

† The Magdalen Asylum.

that institution is self-supporting. Museums are also omitted from this summary, for the reason that it was impossible to estimate the extra expense to the societies maintaining them above what it costs to have them open for the inspection of their own members.

#### GENERAL SUMMARY

<i>Institutions.</i>	<i>Private.</i>	<i>City.</i>	<i>State.</i>	<i>Nation.</i>	<i>Total.</i>
Associated Charities ...	\$ 4,098 16	.....	.....	.....	\$ 4,098 16
Sanitation & Med. Relief.	96,345 77	\$173,054 64	\$ 35,165 59	\$ 31,631 29	336,197 29
Out - Door Relief .....	308,562 85	7,395 80	.....	.....	315,958 65
Institutional Relief.....	195,059 59	50,601 21	195,626 17	124,089 20	565,376 17
Preventative & Res. Work	43,991 73	.....	.....	.....	43,991 73
Educational..	44,328 10	36,665 27	33,894 49	.....	114,887 86
Total.....	\$692,386 20	\$267,716 92	\$264,686 25	\$155,720 49	\$1,380,509 86

This seems like an enormous charity bill for a city so young as San Francisco, and whose entire population numbers scarcely 300,000. The city of Baltimore, with 100,000 more inhabitants, expended in 1892 about \$50,000 less.† While not much value is to be placed upon this comparison, since the figures for Baltimore are an estimate based upon a partial canvass, and it is not likely that the cost of caring for dependents in institutions outside of the city are included, and while some allowance is to be made for the greater demands upon all charitable institutions in the latter part of 1893, still, the cost of relieving the poor in San Francisco is undoubtedly more in proportion than in any other young and prosperous city.

I want everyone who consults this little book to appreciate with me the sympathy and helpfulness of Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Weaver, Superintendent and matron of the City and County Almshouse ; the many kindnesses of Mr. J. G. Chown of the Christian Union Mission ; the hearty co-operation of Father Montgomery (now Bishop Montgomery) without whose aid I would not have been able to include the Catholic Charities ; and especially the generosity of Mr. Timothy Hopkins, through whose assistance this work is given to the public.

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STANFORD UNIVERSITY,  
May 25, 1894.

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†The exact amount according to Miss Richmond's report was \$1,333,102.37. Charity Annual, Baltimore, 1892, p. 48.

# The Organization of Charities

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ASSOCIATED CHARITIES. 425 Pine street, (formerly at 509 Kearny). Office hours, 9 to 12 A. M., 1 to 4 P. M.; Sundays excepted. **Object:** To raise the needy above the need of relief, to prevent begging, to diffuse knowledge of the subjects connected with the relief of the poor, to prevent indiscriminate and duplicate almsgiving, and to encourage the relation of friendship between the dependent and the independent.

**Methods:** Provision is made for the thorough investigation of every case that applies for aid. If found worthy, the case is referred to some co-operating charitable association or benevolent individual. If unworthy, the case is exposed in a circular of information sent out to protect the charitable against imposition. A record of all such investigations is kept at the office. No charge is made co-operating societies and individuals for investigation of cases referred to the Society. Present number of co-operating societies, 38; Churches, 6; Number of new cases investigated in 1893, 1,353; recurrent, 1,009. A free employment bureau is constantly maintained. Friendly visitors are from time to time sent out to encourage and advise the unfortunate or inefficient. Present number of visitors, 25.

**Admission:** Any person may become a member by paying not less than \$5 annually; \$50 secures life membership. Present membership, 300. **Administration:** A central council of 25 is elected annually by the association. The Mayor, Chief of Police and Health Officer are *ex officiis* members of the Council.

The President, with the consent of the Council, appoints a Registrar to attend to the details of the office. The central council meets every Friday P. M. to hear a report from the Registrar, and to settle all questions of principle. A wood-yard is operated at 125-7 Main, near Mission Street, from 12 M. to 5 P. M. Labor is paid for at the rate of 10 cents per hour in meal, lodging or ferry tickets. Number of men employed in 1893, 2,963; number of hours work, 8,814; paid for wood, salary of Superintendent, tickets, etc., \$1,101.98. Expenditures for 1893 :

Salaries and car fares.....	\$2,210 45
Rent and cleaning of offices.....	352 00
Printing.....	164 05

Postage.....	\$ 87 65
Incidentals.....	388 95
Wood yard deficit.....	449 00
Wood yard, current year.....	446 06
Total.....	\$4,098 16

Besides this total, the income of the Mary A. Crocker Trust Fund, amounting to \$200 per month, was distributed among the worthy poor. Organized 1888; incorporated 1889.

# Sanitation and Medical Relief

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## PUBLIC

BOARD OF HEALTH. Office, New City Hall; hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Board consists of four physicians appointed by the Governor for five years. The Mayor is *ex officio* member of the Board. Board appoints superintendent and assistants of Almhouse, superintendent and assistants of City and County Hospital, Health Officer, City Physician, Police Surgeon, Quarantine Officer, Health Inspectors, etc. Health Officer's Report, year ending June 30, 1893:

Zymotic diseases .....	762
Constitutional diseases.....	1,172
Local diseases.....	3,083
Development diseases.....	677
Violent diseases.....	367
 Total.....	6,061
Number of vaccinations.....	4,555
Number of complaints filed with Health Inspectors.....	3,361
Number of complaints abated.....	2,926
Number of fumigations.....	1,117
Expenditures.....	\$30,735 33

BURIAL OF INDIGENT DEAD. Expense borne by the city. Year ending June 30, 1893, 457 persons were buried at an expense of \$2,728.73. Beside this, \$2,000 was expended in the burial of honorably discharged ex-soldiers and sailors.

CORONER. Jerome A. Hughes, M.D. Office and morgue, New City Hall. Responsible to Board of Supervisors. Total number of deaths reported, 660; inquests, 315; autopsies, 378; natural death, 275; accident, 165; murder, 27; suicide, 122; unascertained, 71. Suicides, white, 120; Chinese, 2; Male, 104; female, 18; native born, 32; foreign, 82; unknown, 8. Expenditures, \$14,693.53.

QUARANTINE. William M. Lawlor, M.D., officer. Office, 431 California Street. Quarantine at Angel Island. Number of vessels boarded, 834. Receipts, \$5,527.50; expenditures, including salary, \$6,887.56.

## HOSPITALS

CITY AND COUNTY HOSPITAL. Potrero and Twenty-second street. F. H. Titus, M. D., Supt. **Admission:** Persons suffering from acute venereal diseases, from alcoholism, or from incurable diseases of any description, not admitted. **Administration:** Officers, appointed by Board of Health. Hospital ambulance calls at the Health Office, New City Hall, every morning and evening to receive patients. Hospital dispensary open daily from 7 A. M. to 8 P. M.

Patients in the Hospital, July 1, 1892.....	288
Admitted during the year .....	3,614
Discharged cured.. ....	1,192
Discharged improved .....	1,877
Sent to Almshouse.....	109
Sent to Insane Asylum.....	2
Died .....	382
Remaining July 1, 1893.....	343
Daily average number of patients.....	318
Average number of stay days.....	29.7
Native born.....	1,288
Foreign born.....	2,326
Total expenditures.....	\$101,065 71
Of this amount, especial appropriation for repairs... 22,200 00	
Received from State for persons over 60.....	3,601 82
Per diem expense per patient.....	.679

A part of the total expense for the year was incurred by furnishing supplies to the Small-pox Hospital, amounting to \$236.93, and drugs to the Magdalen Asylum and the Small-pox Hospital.

Dispensary Report.—Medicines furnished patients, \$8,740.60; 4,700 prescriptions for Out Clinic, \$940.00; Small-pox Hospital, \$94.97; Magdalen Asylum, \$150.75. Throughout the fall and winter of 1893 there were frequently as many as 445 patients at one time and many were turned away for lack of room. During the coming year it is proposed to build an addition for a contagious diseases ward.

RECEIVING HOSPITAL. New City Hall. In charge of Police Surgeon Geo. B. Somers, M.D., and three assistants; at least one on duty at all times, day and night. Appointed by Board of Health. **Object:** For persons who cannot afford medical and surgical aid, and for all those who are so seriously injured as to be unable to give an account of themselves. All

bed-ridden cases sent to City and County Hospital. Full capacity of wards, 20. Total admitted during the year, 4,966. Appropriation for drugs, etc., lumped with that for prisons and jails, etc. (See City Physician's Report, page 9). Formerly City Prison Hospital at Old City Hall. Opened at present location, Aug. 22, 1892.

**SMALL-POX HOSPITAL.** Twenty-sixth, near Colusa street. Under the supervision of City Physician. Report of diseases treated: Small-pox, 7; Syphilis, 10; Leprosy, 18; Miscellaneous, 9; Total, 44. Native born, 2; Foreign, 39; Unknown, 3. Expenditures, \$4,907.84.

**UNITED STATES MARINE HOSPITAL.** Office, Sansome and Washington streets. Hospital, Presidio, near Reservation. **Admission:** Open to any sailor who has been aboard an American vessel 60 days, and who has not been off board for 60 days previous to application. Free of charge. **Administration:** Under the Treasury Department of the United States. **Income:** Supported wholly by the Government, the Hospital receiving its proportion of the tonnage tax (See United States Statutes C. 121, 1884, Act June 26). **Inmates:** Number in the Hospital July, 1891, 83; admitted during the year, 964; discharged, 881; died, 55; remaining June 30, 1892, 111; number of days of relief in the Hospital, 41,673. At the office down town, medical relief was given to 2,477 persons. Amount expended, \$31,631.29. Founded 1875.

**CALIFORNIA WOMEN'S HOSPITAL.** 3118 Sacramento street. **Object:** Treatment of women's diseases. **Admission:** Open only to women irrespective of creed and nationality. Incurables not admitted. No charge is made for the destitute. Those who are able pay a moderate sum for board. Out patients treated gratuitously. **Administration:** Board of 11 Trustees, who appoint a board of 18 lady managers. Medical staff consists of a Surgeon, Resident Surgeon, 6 Visiting Surgeons, a Visiting Oculist, a Pathologist, and an Interne. Income, 1893 :

Pay patients and medicines sold.....	\$18,258	69
Mary A. Crocker Trust.....	1,500	00
Annual and monthly subscriptions.....	684	00
Donations, etc.....	4,367	54
Expenditures.....	24,083	26
Number of patients January 1, 1893.....	30	
Number of patients admitted during the year.....	270	
Number of operations.....	351	

In the last 13 years 20,777 patients have been treated.

A school for nurses is maintained, and numbers this year 28. Number of graduates since its organization, 15. \$5,000 entitles the donor to nominate patients to a free bed in perpetuity. One such donation has been received. \$3,000 entitles the donor to a like privilege during life of donor and one successor. Opened June 21, 1868, on Hawthorne street. In 1871, the State donated \$5,000, and in 1872, \$7,500. Since then no State aid has been received. The lot is leased from the City, and the present building was erected in 1882. Valuation about \$25,000. Incorporated 1873.

**FRENCH HOSPITAL.** Bryant, bet. Fifth and Sixth streets. Founded and managed by the French Mutual Benevolent Society. **Admission:** Mental diseases and those that are contagious excluded. None admitted under 7 years of age. The general ward is free to members of the Society; private rooms \$1.00 per day; non-members pay \$2.00 per day in ward; in private rooms, \$3.00. Number under treatment Feb. 28, 1893, 59; admitted during the year, 742; discharged, 771; full capacity, 120. Receipts from pay patients, \$19,166.10. Expenditures, \$45,513.47.

L'Union Francaise was incorporated Nov. 23, 1893, with a subscribed capital stock of \$100,000 for the purpose of loaning money to the French Benevolent Society to build a new Hospital at Point Lobos and Fifth avenues. Intended cost \$200,000.

**GERMAN HOSPITAL.** Noe, bet. Fourteenth and Ridley streets. Board of seven physicians and six consulting physicians. Maintained by the German General Benevolent Society. (See page 22.) Hospital accomodates 250. **Admission:** None admitted under 15 years of age; cases of insanity, delirium tremens and small-pox excluded; members of the German General Benevolent Society cured free of charge in wards; single rooms, \$1 to \$2 per day; non-members of this Society and speaking German, \$2 per day in wards; in single rooms, \$3 to \$4; open to both men and women.

Number patients Jan. 1, 1893.....	109
Admitted during the year.....	1,316
Discharged cured.....	1,226
Died.....	101
Remaining Jan. 1, 1894.....	98
Receipts from pay patients .....	\$59,894 59
Expenditures for maintenance.....	75,000 00

Opened Feb. 22, 1878, replacing the old one on Brannan street, burned Aug. 28, 1876.

HOSPITAL FOR CHILDREN AND TRAINING SCHOOL FOR NURSES. 3700 California street. **Objects:** 1st—To provide medical aid for sick children; 2nd—To provide medical and surgical aid for women; 3d—To educate nurses. **Admission:** Apply to the Medical Staff of the Hospital. Women pay \$12.50 per week and upward. **Administration:** Board of 30 Lady Managers, eight attending physicians, five assistant attending physicians, fifteen consulting physicians, resident physician, four internes, etc. Income year ending Dec. 31, 1894: Membership dues, \$718; patients' board, \$11,685.05; nurses, \$1,099.40; donations, etc.; total receipts, \$29,646.24; disbursements, \$27,313.96.

Number of patients in hospital Jan. 1, 1893.....	71
"    " patients received during 1893.....	563
"    " children treated.....	315
"    " adults treated.....	248
"    " free beds for children.....	114
"    " free beds for adults.....	26
"    " births.....	40
"    " deaths.....	24
"    " operations.....	300
"    " prescriptions filled.....	4,224

Foreign born, 124; native born, 439; native Californian, 308. For three years a kindergarten has been maintained for the children. Enrollment, 1893, 129. The training school for nurses numbers 33; total who have graduated, 73. Over 280 applications for admission during the year, of which only 26 could be taken. Charge for services, \$3 per day and \$20 per week, employers to pay traveling expenses. The milk laboratory sends out over 138 bottles per day.

\$300.....	pays for one bed one year
\$3,000.....	pays for one bed 33 years
\$5,000.....	pays for one bed in perpetuity

Present number of memorial beds, 29.

Organized and incorporated as the Pacific Dispensary for Women and Children, 1016 Mission street, in 1875; reincorporated as above, Nov. 25, 1885.

ST. LUKE'S HOSPITAL. Valencia and Twenty-seventh streets. **Admission:** Open to patients of all creeds and nationalities, only those having contagious diseases excluded. Four classes of patients are cared for: 1st—The absolutely

destitute, whose expenses are borne by the churches; 2nd—Those who are cared for gratuitously after their funds become exhausted; 3d—Those who are able to pay board only, and 4th—Private patients who select their own physicians from the hospital staff or others. Rates charged in wards, \$10 per week; private rooms, \$12 to \$25 per week; \$5,000 endows a bed in perpetuity; \$3,000 endows a bed for 33 years; annual charge for the support of adults bed, \$400. **Administration:** Board of seven directors and eight lady managers, staff of sixteen physicians.

Patients in the hospital March 31, 1892.....	54
Admitted during the year.....	539
Died.....	83
Discharged.....	445
Remaining March 31, 1893.....	65
Daily average.....	55.8
Full capacity.....	100
Total number of days' treatment.....	20,505

Number of free patients 18, representing 802 days treatment at an expense of \$1,179. Of those admitted during the year, 72 were Episcopalians, 78 Roman Catholics, 99 other denominations, and 290 no religious profession. Receipts for the year:

From patients.....	\$34,081 04
From churches for free beds.....	1,094 75
Other sources.....	2,741 79
 Total.....	 \$37,917 58
Disbursements.....	\$37,281 53

The hospital is free from debt. Organized 1871 and maintained constantly until 1882; then closed as a church hospital until 1885; the training school for nurses, which was opened four years ago, now numbers 21; number of graduates, 11; receipts for private and outside nursing during the year, \$1,776; during the four years, \$4,000. The demand for such nursing is much larger than can be supplied. The charge for such services is \$3.00 per day, \$16 per week, the employer to pay traveling expenses and washing.

**ST. MARY'S HOSPITAL.** Corner First and Bryant streets.  
**Object:** Care of the sick and dying. **Admission:** Not intended for charity, but there is always admitted a large number who cannot pay. Undenominational. **Administration:** In charge of the Sisters of Mercy. **Income:** From fees of patients. \$58,826 expended during 1892. From October, 1855,

to July, 1857, the contract for the care of the sick of the city and county of San Francisco was awarded to the Sisters of Mercy. In July, 1857, a hospital was opened on Stockton street, near Vallejo street, whence it was removed in 1860 to the present location. Since the removal, 25,239 patients have been treated. The property is taxed for \$95,755.

## DISPENSARIES

CITY PHYSICIAN. H. R. Brown, M. D. Office, 806 Market street. Hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Appointed by the Board of Health. Salary, \$1,800; assistant physician, \$1,200; free treatment for the poor; also for the sick in jails.

Number of cases treated at office.....	689
Number of treatments.....	873
Sent to Almshouse.....	1
Sent to City and County Hospital.....	77
Sent to Insane Asylum.....	1
Died.....	1
Total.....	<hr/> 769

Prisoners treated at County Jail No. 1, north side of Broadway, near Kearny :

Number of cases treated.....	1,591
Number of treatments.....	2,123
Sent to City and County Hospital.....	9
Insane Asylum.....	3
Died.....	1
Total.....	<hr/> 1,604

Prisoners treated at County Jail No. 2. (Female. Old Industrial School.)

Number of cases treated .....	585
Number of treatments.....	780
Sent to City and County Hospital.....	14
Sent to Insane Asylum.....	4
Total.....	<hr/> 603

Expenditures, (See Auditor's report).....\$8,385 26

DISPENSARY OF THE HAHNEMANN HOSPITAL COLLEGE OF SAN FRANCISCO. 115 Haight street. Consultation free. Open 10 A. M. to 3 P. M. except Sunday. Clinics 9 A. M. to 5 P. M. **Object:** To provide medical and surgical aid to worthy poor and to attend in their homes those who cannot

come to the Dispensary. During the year 1893, 6,886 cases were treated. Medicines free to about 700. Hospital contains perfectly equipped gynæcology. Founded about 20 years ago.

**FREE DISPENSARY OF THE HOSPITAL FOR CHILDREN AND TRAINING SCHOOL FOR NURSES.** 1109 Mission street. General clinics daily from 9 to 10 A. M., 3 to 4 P. M. and 7 to 8 P. M. Diseases of the eye, ear, throat and nose treated Tuesday and Friday afternoons. Nine physicians. Number of women treated during 1893, 400; number of children, 322; total treatments, 3,009; total prescriptions, 2,272. Receipts, \$769.75; expenditures, \$964.87.

**FREE DISPENSARY OF THE COOPER MEDICAL COLLEGE.** Sacramento and Webster streets. Consultation free. Medicines at cost, usually 25 cents each prescription. Report for 1893—Ophthalmic and aural clinic—Prof. A. Barkau; number of cases, 1,063; total number of visits, 7,686. Genito-urinary clinic—Prof. R. H. Plummer; cases treated, 165; visits, 824. Gynæcological clinic—Prof. Clinton Cushing; cases, 154; visits, 564. Surgical clinic—Prof. R. H. Plummer; cases, 498; visits, 644. Childrens' clinic—Prof. C. H. Steele; cases, 138. Neurological clinic—Prof. J. O. Hirschfelder; patients, 132. Medical clinic—Prof. S. O. L. Potter; cases, 541; visits, 592. Total cases, 2,691. Total visits, about 11,830. A hospital is in process of erection on the College grounds, and will be ready for occupancy June 1st, 1894. Will contain about 150 beds and will be open to all nationalities and religions. Cost, about \$250,000. An endowment fund of \$50,000 is already subscribed. The college buildings were erected in 1882. Total value of buildings, \$500,000. Value of land, \$100,000.

**FREE DISPENSARY OF THE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT OF THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA.** 155 New Montgomery street. From Aug. 1st, 1893, to Jan. 1st, 1894, 934 cases were registered. About 25 per cent of the medicines were given free of charge. An obstetrical bureau is maintained where indigent women may apply for attendance during confinement.

**PACIFIC HOMOEOPATHIC DISPENSARY ASSOCIATION.** Dispensary, 743 Howard street. Consultation free. Open five hours daily, except Sunday. **Object:** To provide for the indigent sick the medical aid of competent Homœopathic physicians. **Management:** Board of seven lady mana-

gers and seven lady directors, elected annually by the society. Ten attending surgeons and physicians and two dentists. **Income:** Annual members, dues \$2.50; life, \$25; medicine, 25 cents. Number treated during the year ending April 10, 1893, 1,008; office prescriptions, 3,852; free prescriptions, 645. Expended during the year, \$1,575.35. Receipts for medicines, \$801.80. Organized and incorporated December, 1876, at 843 Howard street, where 25,000 prescriptions were given in six years. In 1884 removed to the college building on Haight street, and two years later to Vallejo street, then to Larkin street. In 1889 removed to the present location.

**SAN FRANCISCO POLYCLINIC.** 315 Ellis street. Open from 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. **Management:** Board of 29 lady directors, who represent nine life members, 21 annual and 60 monthly. During the year ending March 16, 1892, 4,869 applicants were treated, and 20,881 visits were made to the clinic. Receipts, \$13,310.67. Expenditures, \$12,973.69. Two wards in the City and County Hospital have been maintained since 1891, where 172 patients have been cared for. Founded 1889; incorporated Dec. 26, 1891. Connected with the University of California as a post-graduate medical department. Board of 21 physicians and 18 assistants. The present building is rented, but a contract is signed for the erection of a building at 410 Ellis street, to cost over \$50,000. There will be a department fully equipped for the study of bacteriology.

**SAN FRANCISCO HOMŒOPATHIC POLYCLINIC.** 220 Montgomery avenue. Office hours, 10 A. M. to 1 P. M. **Object:** To extend the benefits of homœopathic treatment, especially to the laboring classes. **Admission:** Open to all the human family who suffer from any infirmity. **Management:** Dr. Albert Hiller, Founder and Superintendent. **Income:** From the sale of prescriptions at cost, all deficiencies being made up by the founder. Number of persons aided for the year ending April 20, 1893, 4,307. The Polyclinic was opened April 21st, 1890, from which time until April 20th, 1893, 14,769 prescriptions were issued and filled; 3,455 of which were free of charge.

**SOUTHERN HOMŒOPATHIC DISPENSARY.** 1024 Mission street. Diseases of the eye and ear, 192; general diseases, 785; diseases of women, 4,397; total, 5,374.

## INSANE ASYLUMS

STATE INSANE ASYLUM. Stockton, Cal. **Object**: Care and treatment of the insane. **Admission**: Commitment by county judge in open court. **Administration**: Board of five directors appointed by the Governor; term, four years; four resident physicians, and 163 officers.

	<i>Males</i>	<i>Females</i>
Number of patients June 30, 1890.....	1,129	459
Admitted during two years .....	480	114
Discharged recovered.....	180	49
"    improved.....	67	21
"    unimproved.....	22	5
"    not insane.....	12	2
Died.....	148	49
Escaped.....	21	
Remaining June 30, 1892.....	1,159	447
Of those admitted, native born.....	224	60
"    "    foreign born.....	252	52
"    "    unknown.....	4	2
"    "    from California.....	39	15
"    "    from other states.....	185	45

There is an excess of 456 over what the institution can comfortably accommodate **Income**: Products of farm, sewing department, etc., (value not estimated); sales of surplus products, etc., \$2,184.34; pay patients, \$29,416.90; state appropriations. Expenditures for maintenance, including salaries, \$441,995.21; per capita cost per day, including clothing, care and medical attendance, 37.3 cents; other expenditures, including building, improvements, etc., \$98,624.97. Number admitted from the opening in 1851 to June 30, 1892, 12,802; recoveries, 5,650; discharged uncured, 1,281; deaths, 3,867; escapes, 398. Cost of construction, about \$1,220,000.

STATE INSANE ASYLUM. Napa, Cal. One hundred and fifty-three officers.

	<i>Males</i>	<i>Females</i>
Number of patients, June 30, 1890.....	775	569
Admitted during two years.....	371	205
Discharged recovered.....	110	54
"    improved .....	40	44
"    unimproved.....	12	13
"    not insane.....	7	2

	<i>Males</i>	<i>Females</i>
Died.....	150	59
Eloped.....	13	1
Transferred to other asylums.....		1
Remaining June 30, 1892.....	814	600
Of those admitted, native born.....	190	107
"    "    "    foreign born.....	172	93
"    "    "    unknown.....	9	5
"    "    "    from California.....	49	35
"    "    "    other States.....	141	72

**Income:** Produce of farm, sewing department, etc., (value not estimated) ; sales of surplus produce, etc., \$5,393.25 ; pay patients, \$27,511.60, and state appropriations. Expended for maintenance, including salaries, \$412,283.72. Per capita cost per day, 41 cents. Other expenditure, including repairs, building, etc., \$43,091.45. Number admitted from the opening, Nov. 15, 1875, to June 30, 1892, 7,277 ; recovered, 2,009 ; discharged uncured, 1,938 ; discharged not insane, 8 ; died, 1,655, etc. Cost of construction, \$1,750,000.

STATE INSANE ASYLUM. Agnews, Santa Clara county, Cal. Ninety-two officers.

	<i>Males</i>	<i>Females</i>
Number of inmates, June 30, 1890.....	348	179
Number admitted in two years.....	484	254
Discharged recovered.....	130	47
"    improved.....	55	35
"    unimproved.....	7	5
"    not insane.....	6	2
Died.....	119	55
Eloped.....	16	
Number remaining June 30, 1892.....	499	289
Of those admitted, native born.....	188	114
"    "    "    foreign born.....	281	134
"    "    "    unknown.....	15	6
"    "    "    from California.....	51	42
"    "    "    other States.....	137	72

Full capacity, 860. **Income:** From pay patients, \$11,039.50; from sale of produce, etc., \$4,023.83, and state appropriations. Expenditures for maintenance, \$217,304.54. Daily per capita cost, 45.3 cents. Repairs, building, etc., \$135,924.77. Number admitted from the opening, Oct. 30, 1888, to June 30, 1892, 1,416 ; recoveries, 224 ; discharged uncured, 141 ; deaths, 245 ; and escapes, 18. Cost of construction, \$793,000.

MENDOCINO STATE ASYLUM FOR THE INSANE.  
Ukiah, Cal. Not yet completed. About 130 acres of land, purchased Sept. 7, 1889; entire amount of money expended from July, 1890, to July, 1892, \$277,099.10. Male ward opened Dec. 12, 1893, for 60 patients from Napa and 60 patients from Stockton; female ward to be opened Feb. 1, 1894.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA STATE INSANE ASYLUM.  
San Bernardino, Cal. Not yet completed. Cost of grounds and building, to Jan. 30, 1892, about \$325,000. One wing was opened in July, 1893, for 40 patients from Stockton, 40 from Napa and 20 from Agnews.

EXPENSE OF SAN FRANCISCO'S INSANE for the year ending June 30, 1893. For examination of 491 persons charged with insanity, \$4,630; cost the State for transportation of 317 committed, \$5,960; for maintenance for one year, \$25,603.77.

SUMMARY: Number of patients cared for in the three Asylums during the two years ending June 30, 1892, 6,141; expended for maintenance, including salaries, \$1,071,583.47, less receipts from pay patients, and sales, \$992,014.05. Other expenditures, including repairs, building and improvements in the five Asylums, \$874,740.29.

## MISCELLANEOUS

HOME FOR THE CARE OF THE INEBRIATE. 2000 Stockton street. Office hours: 9 to 10 A. M.; 5 to 6 P. M. Mills Building, 3 to 4 P. M. **Object:** Reclamation of those who submit to its treatment for the diseased condition of mind and body due to habitual indulgence in alcoholic liquors, morphine, opium, cocaine, chloral, and other drugs. **Admission:** Open to both men and women. Persons in dying condition, or needing surgical treatment, not admitted. **Income:** For board, room, medical treatment and nursing, \$10 to \$40 per week. From the city, year ending June 30, 1893, for care of inebriate, \$6,150. (See Appendix.) Established over thirty years ago, and has had 24,610 cases in the Home. During the last ten years, 14,165 with permanent benefit in 80 per cent of cases. The Home has been renovated during the last few months at an expense of \$10,000.

LICK FREE BATHS. Tenth street, near Howard. 60 tubs. Five cents is charged for the use of a towel. Average daily attendance, 250. Expenses, \$20 per day.

# Out-Door Relief other than Medical

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## PUBLIC

ROBINSON BEQUEST FUND. In 1881 the Mayor and Supervisors took charge of a fund of \$40,000 entrusted to their care by Henry E. Robinson, with the provision that the yearly interest should be distributed among the poor of the city. The beneficiaries must be destitute women and children, not inmates of any institution. Each applicant must fill out an application blank, witnessed by two personal acquaintances. The case is then referred to some Society for investigation. About 1,000 persons applied during 1893, and \$2,395.80 were disbursed.

SAN FRANCISCO BENEVOLENT ASSOCIATION. Office, 20 Webb street. Hours, 1 to 4 p. m., Saturdays, 11 a. m. to 1 p. m. **Object**: To relieve the needy of all creeds and nationalities. **Income**: By an Act approved April 1, 1870, one-half of all fines and forfeitures imposed for offense is paid this Society, provided the amount does not exceed \$5,000. The remaining funds are made up by donations and subscriptions. Report for the year ending May 31, 1893:

Number of persons receiving general assistance.....	9,293
"    " families receiving weekly supplies of provisions	400
"    " individuals supplied clothing.....	1,337
"    " new applications from families investigated....	457

### Expenditures :

For meal tickets.....	\$ 458 00
"    " lodgings.....	299 45
"    " groceries .....	2,448 45
"    " passage (car and ferry).....	146 80
"    " general assistants.....	211 35
"    " incidentals and salary.....	2,154 90
"    " sundry assistance.....	959 77
"    " drugs.....	445 83
"    " employment ..	45 00
"    " rent.....	386 50
Total.....	\$7,556 05

Of this amount \$5,000 was received from the city. Beneficiaries represent 23 nationalities. A provision store adjoins the office.

## GENERAL RELIEF SOCIETIES

**BEULAH CLUB.** Mrs. H. J. Stevens, Secretary, 1133 B Valencia street. **Income:** Membership dues, socials and yearly bazaars. During the past year, \$816 were given in charity. Since the Club was organized, July, 1881, to May, 1893, the total receipts were \$17,823.57; the expenses, \$6,999.40; and the balance, \$10,824.17, was expended in charity, mostly pensions to old people.

**CATHOLIC LADIES' AID SOCIETY.** Office, Donohue Building. Twenty-three branches in the State, ten of which are in San Francisco. Two of these were organized last year. **Object:** Relief of the poor, and social, moral and intellectual improvement of the members. **Admission:** Only Roman Catholic ladies admitted. **Administration:** Branch administrators responsible to the Grand Council, which meets annually. Charity is dispensed irrespective of creed or nationality. **Income:** Membership dues, \$1 per annum; non-Catholics may become honorary members, \$1; contributing members, 25 cents per month; donations, etc.

Report of the San Francisco branches for the year ending Sept. 19, 1893:

Branch No.	Grand Council Paid	Membership	Persons found Employment.	Persons Assisted.	Pieces Clothing.	Reading Matter.	Expended in Relief.
2.....	\$ 43 00	59	212	14	125	378	213
4.....	42 00	47	519	4	176	182	85
8.....	129 25	124	636	1	256	100	40
9.....	19 00	73	188	5	10	265	115
10.....	34 75	105	349	.....	2	325	53
11.....	67 50	89	277	7	11	501	387
12.....			Organized	Sep t. 14	th, 18	93.	
18.....	25 25	60	212	7	27	25	.....
19.....	21 50	217	92	2	35	120	157
20.....	83 25	51	341	.....	11	128	270
Totals.....	465 50	825	2826	33	109	1923	2328
Total for State....	904 55	1694	5298	70	205	2952	5315
						2121	\$9,364 46

The Society owns property valued at \$7,025, on which there is a debt amounting to \$5,300. Organized June, 1887.

CHILDREN'S AUXILIARY. Miss Julia P. Haste, Secretary, 1017 Bush street. **Object:** To assist suffering children. Number of paying members, 8; average attendance at weekly meetings, 6. During 1893, 67 garments were made by the Society, and 122 were donated for distribution by friends. These were given to needy children, and \$50.50 expended in charity.

FRANCESCA RELIEF SOCIETY. Mrs. H. M. Skidmore, Secretary, 1219 Filbert street. Furnishes clothing to the needy and deserving, especially women and children. No money given. During 1893 garments were furnished to 860 persons, and 405 yards of material were given; beside this, at Christmas time, entire suits, including hats and shoes were given to 39 children, and groceries distributed among 30 families.

FREE LUNCHES FOR THE PARK LABORERS. This charity was started by Miss Lilly Meyer of the Hamilton Grammar School, and was carried on by the *Examiner*. Each school in the city took its turn at supplying the lunches for one day. The children brought what they could obtain, and the *Examiner* wagons took the lunches to the park. The first lunches were sent out January 16th, and the work continued for 32 days. The first day the number of laborers fed was 2,100; soon the number swelled to 2,415, then in a few days the number who were given tickets to work was cut down to 1,400, and on the last day only 881 were laboring; as high as 3,000 lunches per day were given, the extra lunches and often groceries, clothing and money, were taken home by the laborers; total number of lunches furnished, 98,631.

HELPERS' SOCIETY. President, Miss Dora Israel, 1710 Laguna street. **Object:** To aid needy families of any nationality or creed. Society expended in relief year ending November, 1893, \$1,381; number of families aided, 144.

LADIES OF THE GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC. President of the Department of California, Belinda S. Bailey, 18 Post street. **Object:** To extend needful aid to honorably discharged soldiers and marines of the Civil War. **Admission:** All mothers, wives, sisters and daughters of honorably discharged soldiers and sailors and army nurses of good standing admitted to membership in the circle. Circles are maintained in most of the northern, western and eastern States, with a combined membership of over 10,000. The two circles in San Francisco, Seven Pines, at 102 O'Farrell, and the Gettysburg

at 320 Post, have a joint membership of 205. Sums of from \$3 to \$5 per week given families in need. During the year ending Sept. 30, 1893, the two circles expended in relief \$295.60, and as much more was given in food and clothing.

MIZPAH CLUB. Mrs. Julia W. Rulofson, Secretary, 2428 Pine street. Gives food, fuel and clothing to the worthy poor. Expended in charity, 1893, \$374.90; number aided, 61.

PARK FUND. In the latter part of December, 1893, the citizens of San Francisco, in session to consider how to relieve the unemployed, appointed a committee of seventeen gentlemen to raise funds. Preference was given to men with families, and they were set to work building roads at the Park at \$1 per day. A committee of four, assisted by the Associated Charities, investigated the cases so that the relief might go to the most needy. Work was begun Jan. 4, with 2,650 men; the minimum number, 400. Total collected to April 8, 1894, \$91,785; expended, \$87,450.25.

SALVATION ARMY. Headquarters, 1139 Market street. Beside maintaining the Orphan Asylum (see page 40), and the Rescue Home (see page 49), meals and lodgings were furnished the needy at the "Life Boat," corner Kearny and Sacramento, and during about two months of the winter at the "Sand Lot." A charge of 5 cents per meal, and 5 cents for lodgings is made at the "Life Boat." The *Examiner* Christmas Fund for 1893 was disbursed by the Salvation Army.

Report for the year ending March 15, 1894:

The *Examiner* Christmas Fund amounted to \$5,282.36 in cash, toys, clothing, provisions, etc., amounted to about \$10,000 more. Following is the menu card for the Christmas dinner:

<i>Relishes—</i>	Radishes.	Lettuce.	Celery.
<i>Entrees—</i>			
Baked Beans.	Allege Mutton.	Veal Fricassee.	
<i>Cold—</i>			
Beef.	Mutton.	Head Cheese.	
<i>Roasts—</i>			
Prime Beef.	Pork and Apple Sauce.		
	Turkey and Cranberry Sauce.		
<i>Vegetables—</i>			
Cauliflower.	Mashed Potatoes.		
<i>Pastry—</i>			
Plum Pudding.	Pumpkin Pie.	Hot Mince Pie.	
<i>Dessert—</i>			
Apples.	Oranges.	Bananas.	
	Coffee.		

SAN FRANCISCO FRUIT AND FLOWER MISSION.  
 420 Post street. **Object:** Non-sectarian benevolence, especially through practical sympathy for the sick, disabled and suffering. Visits are made, and books, magazines, flowers and fruit are distributed to the City and County Hospital, St. Luke's Hospital, California Woman's Hospital, Old People's Home, Home for Incurables, Home for Aged Hebrews, Alms House, St. Joseph's Home, Girl's Directory, Protestant Episcopal Old Ladies' Home, Maria Kip Orphanage, Nursery for Homeless Children, Little Sisters' Infant Shelter, Sheltering Arms, Boys' and Girls' Aid and Ladies' Protection and Relief.

During the past year, ending Jan. 11, 1893, 25,000 papers and magazines were distributed, and 150 Thanksgiving dinners provided. A private visiting committee of 21 members visited the 89 families on their list every week. **Income:** Seventy monthly subscribers, 25 cents; 46 annual at \$2.50; 10 life at \$20; donations, etc. **Disbursements**, \$1,821.45. During the past 12 years 2,651,000 magazines and papers were distributed. Incorporated Oct. 6, 1880.

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCFNT DE PAUL. **Object:** To relieve distress wherever found. The governing council meets the first Thursday of each month in the basement of St. Mary's Cathedral. P. J. Thomas, Secretary. Each parish in the city has its subordinate conference which meets every week. A general conference is held four times every year. A visiting committee in each parish endeavors to discriminate between the worthy and the unworthy. During the year ending July 23, 1893, money was received and expended in the twelve parishes as follows:

St. Mary's Cathedral—Receipts and balances, \$556.25 ; disbursements, \$263.30. St. Joseph's—Receipts, etc., \$289.40 ; disbursements, \$250.20. St. Peter's—Receipts, \$289.95 ; disbursements, \$110.60. Sacred Heart—Receipts, \$81.95 ; disbursements, \$19.10. St. Francis—Receipts, \$87.11 ; to the poor, \$50.70. St. Paul's—Receipts, \$87.90 ; to charity, \$124. Mission Dolores—Receipts, \$295.85 ; given out, \$36.50. St. Brendan's—Receipts, \$87.80 ; for the needy, \$18.65 given. St. Rose's—Receipts, \$45.45 ; disbursements, \$42.25. St. Bridget's—Donations, \$121.35 ; given out, \$128.35. St. Theresa's—Receipts, \$94.46 ; disbursements, \$82. St. Dominic's—Receipts, \$152.75 ; given out, \$110.90. Total receipts, etc., \$2,190.22 ; given out, \$1,236.55. Organized 1866. Reorganized 1885.

**WOMEN'S RELIEF CORPS.** Secretary, Mary E. Hartwell, Los Angeles, Cal. Corps in the most important towns throughout the State. **Object :** To assist such Union veterans as need help and protection, and to extend needful aid to their widows and orphans. **Admission :** Women of good moral character who have not given aid and comfort to the enemies of the Union, and who have attained the age of 16 years shall be eligible to membership. 3,000 members in the department of California. **Management :** Council of fourteen members, and Executive Board of five, elected by the Society ; governed by rules of the National Convention. **Income :** Initiation fees, dues and entertainments. Report of the San Francisco Corps for 1893 : Lincoln, No. 3, meets at 35 Eddy, Thursdays, 8 P. M.; expended for relief, cash, \$518.20 ; provisions, etc., \$284.20. Jas. A. Garfield, No. 21, meets in Alcazar building, Tuesdays, 8 P. M.; for relief, cash, \$133.55 ; provisions, etc., \$194.25. Gen. Geo. G. Meade, No. 61, meets Tuesdays, 8 P. M., at 102 O'Farrell ; for relief, cash, \$21 ; provisions, etc., \$46. Amount expended for relief in the 60 corps in California, cash, \$4,018.90 ; provisions, etc., \$2,109.64. Over 1,000 persons aided. Instituted in California, Feb. 20, 1885.

**YOUNG MENS' INSTITUTE.** Gave food and clothing to the needy during the winter months. Cash value of distributions over \$2,529.90 ; persons aided, 16,696.

## NATIONAL RELIEF SOCIETIES

**BRITISH BENEVOLENT SOCIETY.** 531 California street. Office hours, 10 A. M. to 1 P. M. daily. **Object:** To afford relief to the sick and destitute persons, natives of Great Britain. **Management:** 120 members represented by seven Directors and a Board of Relief of five members. Since organization, in 1865, to April, 1893, disbursed exclusively for relief, \$67,500, and employment procured for over 10,000; between 12,000 and 13,000 members admitted. This Society is the outgrowth of the British Hospital and Relief Society, established 1858 and abandoned 1865.

**CONSULATES.** Assistance sometimes given by Consuls, especially to shipwrecked sailors. Names and addresses correct to January, 1894:

Argentine Republic—J. L. Schleiden, Acting Consul, 207 Battery street. Austro-Hungarian Empire—Francis Korbel, Consul, 308 Battery street. Belgium—Wilfred B. Chapman, 123 California street. Bolivia—F. Herrera, 218 California street. Brazil—D. L. Randolph, Vice-Consul, 12 Montgomery street. Chile—Nephtah Guerrero, Consul-General, 621 Clay street; W. D. Catton, Vice-Consul, 203 California street. China—Ting Yet Chang, Consul-General; King Owyang, Vice-Consul, 806 Stockton street. Colombia—Adolfo Canal, Consul, 319 California. Costa Rica—Rafael Gallegos, Consul-General, 230 California street. Denmark—J. Simpson, 22 California street. Ecuador—John T. Wright, 640 Market street. France—L. de Lalande, Consul; E. A. Pesoli, Vice-Consul, 604 Commercial street. German Empire—Adolph Rosenthal, Consul-General; Oswald Lohan, Vice-Consul, 318 Sacramento street. Great Britain—Denis Donohue, Consul; Wellesley Moore, Vice-Consul, 506 Battery street. Greece—D. Pavlides, 211 Geary street. Guatemala—J. Diaz Duran, 204 Front street, room 14. Hawaiian Islands—Chas. T. Wilder, Consul-General, 206 Sansome street. Honduras—John T. Wright, 640 Market street. Italy—G. Branchi, Consul-General; Cesare Poma, Vice-Consul, 506 Battery street. Japan—Sutemi Chinda. Mexico—Alexander K. Coney, Consul-General, 604 Clay street. Netherlands—James de Fremery, Consul; W. C. B. de Fremery, Vice-Consul, 530 California street. Nicaragua—William L. Merry, Consul-General, 204 Front street, room 2. Paraguay—P. J. Van Loben Sels. Peru—

J. Emilio Lassus, Consul-General, 606 Montgomery street. Portugal—G. da Costa Duarte, Consul, 605 Clay street; H. Laidley, Vice-Consul, 323 Montgomery street. Russia—Vladimer Artsimovitch, Consul; Horace G. Platt, Vice-Consul, 418 California street. Salvador—Carlos F. Yrigoyen, 123 California street, room 9. Spain—Jorge Madrilley, 411½ California street. Sweden and Norway—Henry Lund, 214 California street. Switzerland—Anton Borel, 311 Montgomery street. Turkey—George E. Hall, 329 Market street. Uruguay—Jose Costa, 330 Montgomery street.

**EUREKA BENEVOLENT SOCIETY.** Office, 105 Stockton street. Leo. Eloesser, Secretary. **Object:** To relieve Israelites in poverty and distress. **Admission:** Applicant must be under 50 years of age. Initiation fee, \$10; life membership, \$150 (present number 119); monthly dues, \$1, and 25 cents for Widows' and Orphans' Fund (present members, 624.) **Administration:** Board of nine Trustees who elect the president and other officers. The president may give in relief to members of the Society any sum not exceeding \$25; with the consent of the Committee on Charity, any sum above \$25 and not exceeding \$100, and with the consent of the Board of Directors, any sum above \$100; he may assist non-members of the Society to the extent of \$10; with the consent of the Charity Committee, \$50; with the consent of the Board of Directors, any sum above \$50. Monthly allowance to widows not to exceed \$30; orphans, until 15 years of age, \$7.50. Receipts for the year ending Nov. 30, 1893 :

Membership dues and fees.....	\$10,050 00
Interest on mortgages, loans, etc.....	9,202 70
Subscriptions, donations and bequests.....	6,709 33
Charity returned.....	204 10
 Total.....	 \$26,166 13
Expended in charity.....	17,182 05
Total disbursements.....	22,657 02

Organized 1850.

**GERMAN GENERAL BENEVOLENT SOCIETY.** Office, 105 Stockton street, room 22, Agent, Eugene Romer, office hours, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. **Object:** 1—To maintain a home for the sick; 2—Extending charity to non-members, of German speaking people, especially to emigrants; 3—to procure employment for the unemployed; 4—To provide medical attendance for the poor in their homes. **Admission:** Only Germans and those speaking German admitted; admission fee,

\$2; monthly dues, \$1; life membership, \$150. **Administration:** Board of Directors who appoint all the officers of the hospital (see page 6), supports Dr. A. E. Brune, physician for the poor, at 8 Ellis street; hours, 8-10 A. M., 1-3 and 7-8 P. M. In urgent cases the president may give in relief any sum not exceeding \$10; with consent of Board any sum not exceeding \$100. President, Dr. Julius Koebig, 210 Sansome street. **Income:** Membership dues, donations and bequests. Number of members, 3,293. Total income, \$95,914.00; expenditures, \$65,894.00. During 1893, \$12,546.20 were distributed among 1,599 men and 491 women non-members of the Society, and work was found for 461 men and 309 women. Organized Jan. 7, 1854. During existence spent \$299,918.89.

FIRST HEBREW BENEVOLENT SOCIETY. Office, Synagogue, corner Post and Taylor streets. **Object:** To assist needy Hebrews, particularly widows and orphans. **Administration:** Nine Directors elected annually by the Society; president may aid in any sum not exceeding \$20; larger sum given with consent of Trustees. **Income:** 215 members, \$1 per month, fund of \$40,000 drawing interest, donations, etc. During the year ending January, 1893, \$2,800 were expended. Organized 1849, incorporated 1850.

GERMAN LADIES' BENEVOLENT SOCIETY. Minna Broemmel, Secretary, corner California and Steiner streets. **Object:** To assist poor German families without male support. **Management:** Board of fourteen Directors elected annually by the Society. Monthly relief of from \$2 to \$5 is given, except in cases of urgent need, when larger amounts are given. Cases are referred to the Associated Charities for investigation. **Income:** 297 paying members at \$1 per month; 20 life at \$100; interest on \$9,000 in the bank; receipts from annual ball (this year, \$2,216.25); donations and subscriptions, \$556. During the year ending Jan. 17, 1894, \$5,561 were distributed among 1,465 persons. In addition to this, garments worth over \$500, toys, cakes, etc., were distributed among about 125 families at Christmas and New Years. Total cash receipts, \$8,324.62; disbursements, \$5,947.05. Organized 1870 for the relief of German soldiers in the Franco-Prussian war. It soon became a general benevolent society, and was incorporated as above in 1881.

HEBREW LADIES' BENEVOLENT ASSOCIATION. Leo Eloesser, Secretary, 105 Stockton street. **Object:** To relieve poverty, sickness and distress, and to assist in the ex-

pence of burial. **Administration**: Board of nine Trustees elected by the Society; the president may assist in any sum not exceeding \$10; with the consent of the Relief Committee, \$30; with the consent of Trustees any sum above this amount. **Income**: Initiation fee, \$2; membership dues, \$1 per month, and reserve fund, \$6,000. Expended during the year ending Nov. 30, 1893, \$5,000. Organized Aug. 12, 1855.

JEWISH ALLIANCE OF CALIFORNIA. Office, 121 Eddy street. **Object**: To assist needy Russian refugees. **Admission**: Open to all, irrespective of age, sex, creed or nationality. Membership fee, 50 cents per month. **Administration**: Executive Council of 44; Relief Committee of 12. **Income**: Monthly dues from 1,080 members, donations, etc. During the 15 months ending April, 1893, the number of refugees relieved were 130, mostly families. Total receipts for the fifteen months, \$8,717.95. Expended in charity, evening school now abandoned, etc., \$4,258.78. **History**: "In Russia in the year 1890 the real estate of all Jews was claimed by the crown, their personal property seized by avaricious officials, the Jews themselves robbed of nearly all their clothing, and then they were driven over the nearest frontier to perish. Many of them came to America, and were cared for by the Jewish Alliance of America, with headquarters at New York. In December, 1891, 60 delegates, representing nearly every congregation, lodge, benevolent society and club, of the Jewish people in California met in convention and organized the present Society." It is entirely independent of the main branch at New York. Thus far about 400 refugees, mostly families, have been aided and in most cases made self-supporting. Over \$10,000 have been expended; capital on hand, \$5,000.

PACIFIC HEBREW ORPHAN ASSOCIATION AND HOME SOCIETY. Leo Eloesser, Secretary, office, 105 Stockton street. **Object**: To sustain an Asylum for orphans and a Home for the indigent of the Hebrew race; also, to dispense charity. **Admission**: Any Israelite acceptable to the Board of Trustees may become a member. Annual dues, \$6.00; present number of members, 1,513. **Administration**: Board of 12 Trustees, represented by a Board of 7 Governors. **Income**: For the year ending Aug. 31, 1893, bequests, \$11,505.87; donations, \$2,727.40; interest, \$7,915.42; State aid for orphans and aged, \$7,598.99; other sources, \$38,499.40. Total, \$68,247.08; expenditures, \$61,976.57. Since the Society was incorporated, July 26, 1871, the receipts have been \$813,376, and the expenditures \$541,699.

SOCIETY OF POLES OF CALIFORNIA. 18 Hickory avenue; Secretary, Alex. Bednaviski. **Object**: Assistance of needy Poles. The only source of income, besides the initiation fee, \$1.00, is the monthly dues of 50 cents per member. Present number of members, 20. Total number of Poles in San Francisco, 120; in other parts of the State, 40. Organized 1873.

SWISS RELIEF SOCIETY. Office, 536 Kearny street. R. De Bloney, Secretary. **Object**: To aid needy Swiss deserving assistance. **Administration**: Board of thirteen directors chosen from the Society. The Secretary may grant aid in any amount not exceeding \$5.00; with the assent of two directors, \$25. Food, fuel, provisions, clothing, lodging, drugs, medicines, medical assistance, and traveling expenses furnished. **Income**: 186 members at \$1.00 per annum, donations, etc. In 1893, \$1,671.30 were given in relief to 146 Swiss and their families; 125 orders for employment, and tickets for 856 meals and 338 lodgings furnished. Invested capital, over \$6,000. Organized October, 1886.

## ORGANIZED CHARITY AMONG THE CHURCHES

(1893.) (Return postals were sent out to the 118 churches in the city, but only 43 replies were received.)

PRESBYTERIAN—First Presbyterian—Van Ness ave. and Sacramento street. Pastor, Rey. Robert Mackenzie, 1822 Pacific avenue. Church officials, \$11,180; persons aided, about 2,531. Howard Presbyterian—Mission, bet. Third and Fourth streets. No pastor. Church officials, \$240; persons aided, 10. Lebanon Presbyterian—Twenty-third and Sanchez streets. Pastor, Rev. M. Ross, 1414 Twenty-fourth street. Ladies' Aid and other societies, \$200; persons aided, 102. Westminster Presbyterian—Fell, near Octavia street. Pastor, Rev. J. Q. Adams, 721 Hayes street. Church officials, \$100; persons aided, 25. St. John's Presbyterian—Octavia and California streets. No pastor. Ladies' Society, \$160; persons aided, 5. Trinity Presbyterian—Capp and Twenty-third streets. Pastor, Rev. J. C. Smith, 2527 Howard street. Ladies' Union, \$100; persons aided, about 20. Memorial Presbyterian—Algeria and R. R. avenue. Pastor, Rev. H. R. Bevier. Ladies Aid, \$85; persons

aided, 6. Mizpah Presbyterian—541 Second street. Pastor, Rev. F. A. Doane, 525 Harrison street. King's Daughters' Society, \$75; persons aided, 30. First United Presbyterian—Golden Gate avenue and Polk street. Pastor, M. M. Gibson, 803 Guerrero street. Ladies' Society, \$300; persons aided, 60. Second United Presbyterian—Guerrero, bet. Twenty-second and Twenty-third streets. Pastor, Rev. E. B. Stewart, 817 Guerrero street. Church officials, \$50; persons aided, 24. Cumberland Presbyterian, 1358 Market street. Pastor, Rev. J. P. Dickson, 234 Dolores street. Women's Society, \$247; persons aided, 170; also Charity Girl's Circle, \$100, among about 60 poor children. Japanese Presbyterian—121 Haight street. Pastor, Rev. E. A. Sturge, 234 Haight street. Japanese Young Men's Christian Association, \$2,186.75. Persons aided, 6 (four sick men cared for, and two returned to Japan.)

**METHODIST EPISCOPAL**—First Methodist—Washington and Powell streets. Pastor, Rev. T. H. Woodward, 1014 Washington street. Mercy and Help and Ladies' Aid, \$210; persons aided, 40. Central M. E.—Mission near Sixth street. Pastor, Rev. E. R. Dille, 1210 Mission street. Ladies' Aid and King's Daughters, \$921.70; persons aided, 125. Howard M. E.—Howard, bet. Second and Third streets. Pastor, Rev. W. W. Case, 2026 Howard street. Ladies' Relief Society, \$550; persons aided, 138. Trinity M. E.—Market and Sixteenth streets. Pastor Rev. W. S. Bovard, 13 Beaver street. Woman's Society and Epworth League, \$70; persons aided, about 40. Epworth M. E.—Twenty-sixth and Church streets. Pastor, Rev. R. E. Wenk, 1332 Sanchez street. Epworth League and Ladies' Aid, \$50; persons aided, 40. Potrero M. E.—Tennessee, near Island street. Pastor, Rev. E. P. Dennett, 341 Mississippi street. Ladies' Aid Society, \$35; persons aided, 15. California Street M. E.—California and Broderick. Pastor, Rev. Thomas Filben, 2829 California street. King's Daughters, \$40; persons aided, 15.

**CONGREGATIONAL**—Plymouth Congregational—Post, near Webster street. Pastor, Rev. W. D. Williams, 1719 Post street. Helping Hand Society and Ladies' Aid, \$560 and 394 garments; persons aided, 180. Bethany Congregational—Bartlett, bet. Twenty-fifth and Twenty-sixth streets. Pastor, Rev. W. C. Pond, 419 Bartlett street. Church officials, \$150; persons aided, 10. Congregational Chinese Missions—Superintendent, Rev. W. C. Pond, 419 Bartlett street. Distributed, \$125; persons aided, 20. Fourth Congregational—Green, near Stockton street. Pastor, Rev. H. H. Wikoff, 1009 Green street. Church

officials, \$100; persons aided, 30. Park Congregational—416 Devisadero street. Pastor, Rev. H. W. Houlding, 8½ Alpine street. Church Committee, \$75; persons aided, 28.

EPISCOPAL—Trinity Church—Bush and Gough streets. Pastor, Rev. G. E. Walk, 1427 Post street. Ladies' Pastoral Aid, \$819.45; persons aided, 200. St. Peter's Episcopal—Stockton and Filbert streets. Pastor, Rev. J. A. Emory, 131 Chestnut street. Rector's Aid Society, \$173.95; persons aided, 100. St. Paul's Protestant Episcopal—California, near Fillmore street. Pastor, Rev. F. J. Maynard, 1812 Pierce street. Ladies' Aid, \$300; persons aided, about 100. St. Luke's Episcopal—Van Ness avenue and Clay street. Pastor, Rev. W. H. Moreland, 1620 Jackson street. Parochial Aid Society, \$1,834.77; persons aided, about 300.

BAPTIST—First Baptist—Eddy, bet. Jones and Leavenworth streets. Pastor, Rev. J. Q. A. Henry, 600 Bush street. Ladies' Aid Society and others, \$600 in cash; persons aided, 200. Hamilton Square Baptist—Post and Steiner streets. Pastor, Rev. A. M. Russell, 2228½ Post street. Ladies' Aid Society, \$75; persons aided, 100. Third Baptist—518 Powell street. Pastor, Rev. G. E. Duncan, 518 Powell street. Y. P. S. C. E., \$35; persons aided, 6.

CATHOLIC—St. Peter's—Alabama, bet. Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth streets. Pastor, Rev. P. S. Casey, 403 Twenty-fourth street. Church officials, \$369.10; persons aided, 200. St. Joseph's—214 Tenth street. Pastor, Rev. Patrick Scanlan, 214 Tenth street. Church officials, \$1,701.80; persons aided, about 700. St. Teresa's—Tennessee, near Butte street. Pastor, Rev. T. O. Connell, 723 Tennessee street. Church officials, \$64.10; persons aided, about 70. St. Dominic's—Steiner and Bush streets. Pastor, Rev. B. M. Boogan, Steiner and Pine streets. Church officials, \$553.40; persons aided, about 71. These four parishes gave the amounts named in addition to their subscriptions to St. Vincent de Paul and Catholic Ladies' Aid Societies (see pp. 16, 19-20).

CHRISTIAN—First Christian Church—Twelfth, bet. Howard and Mission streets. Pastor, Rev. M. J. Fergusson, 670 Twentieth. Officials, \$100; persons aided, 50. West Side Christian Church—Pastor, Rev. W. A. Gardner, 2520 Bush street. Ladies' Aid Society, \$300; persons aided, 50.

EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN—St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran—Eddy and Gough streets. Pastor, Rev. J. M. Buchler,

515 Golden Gate avenue. Ladies' Aid Society, \$380; persons aided, 15. Swedish Evangelical Lutheran Ebenezer Church—Mission, near Ninth street. Rev. C. M. Etbyoren, 416 Golden Gate avenue. Church officials, \$100; persons aided, about 40.

MISCELLANEOUS—Brethren—866 Mission street. Pastor, Rev. Donald Ross, 227 Second street. Church officials, \$500; persons aided, 200. All Hallows—Susquehanna, near R. R. avenue. Pastor, Rev. James Melven. Ladies' Aid, \$100; persons aided, 15. N. S. de Guadalupe—908 Broadway. Pastor, Rev. A. M. Santandren. Ladies of Christian Charity (Incorporated July 6, 1893), \$900; persons aided, 50. Second Unitarian—Capp and Twentieth. Pastor, Rev. L. W. Sprague, 2610 Folsom street. Women's Auxiliary, \$25; persons aided, 3.

# Institutional Relief

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## PUBLIC

CITY AND COUNTY ALMSHOUSE. San Miguel road.  
P. L. Weaver, Superintendent. **Admission:** Apply to Mayor,  
Health Officer or Resident Physician. **Administration:** In  
charge of the Board of Health, who appoint the superinten-  
dent and his assistants.

July 1, 1892, inmates.....	710
Admitted during the year.....	918
Discharged at own request.....	589
Ran away.....	118
Discharged for cause.....	40
Transferred to insane asylum.....	15
Died.....	139
Remaining July 1, 1893.....	727
Daily average.....	752
Daily per capita cost.....	29 1-7c
Native born.....	210
Foreign.....	708
Total cost for maintenance .....	\$79,981.79
Of this amount the State paid for the support of in- digent persons over 60 years of age.....	39,395.08

And about \$7,000 were spent in repairs and improvements. During the year the inmates have made 6,072 garments, and have made and repaired 992 pairs of shoes, besides raising all the vegetables required for the house. A Woman's Hospital for incurable cases has just been completed at a cost of \$8,000; will accommodate 100 patients. Another building for reading room and chapel will soon be erected.

POLICE STATION, OLD CITY HALL. Free lodging, supper and breakfast given those who apply. Total number cared for, year ending Feb. 25, 1894, 23,058. The number lodged any one night varied from one or two during the summer to 334 in winter; for each supper and breakfast the city paid a contractor 25 cents. Total cost for rations during the year, \$5,764.50.

VETERANS' HOME ASSOCIATION. Office, 320 Sansome street. Home located at Yountville. **Object**: A home for worthy veterans of the army or navy of the United States in indigent circumstances. **Admission**: Submit formal application to the directors, with evidence of residence for one year within the limits of the California Grand Army, physician's certificate of physical disability, and honorable discharge papers; pensioners must transfer their pensions while in the Home. **Administration**: Board of eleven directors, elected by the members of the Association. **Income**: For the year ending June 30, 1893, from the United States, \$100 for each person maintained one year at the Home, \$39,341.15; from California, \$30,000. **Inmates**: At the beginning of the year, 408; 290 admitted during the year, and 93 re-admitted; 27 discharged for cause, 119 at their own request, 76 for absence without leave, 35 died; remaining in the Home, June 30, 1893, 534; daily average, 472. Total number cared for since the Home opened (1883), 1,280. **Disbursements**: \$79,864.32; average cost per capita per annum, \$158.04. Average cost of clothing per capita, \$20.53. The medical director of the Home estimates that 25 per cent of the deaths are caused by over-indulgence in drink, especially of impure liquors. Accordingly a Canteen has been established on the ground at a cost of \$1,400, where members are supplied with wholesome beer, pure wines, tobacco and cigars. In six months the profits paid for the expense of the Canteen; other profits will go for the benefit of the Home. Annual produce of the farm valued \$9,000. The library contains 1,618 volumes. Daily average prescribed for in the dispensary, 18½; average sick in quarters, 12 1-12, at an expense of \$1,845.70. Value of property now exceeds \$100,000, about \$10,000 of which was contributed by the State. Another large building is in process of erection.

NATIONAL HOME FOR DISABLED VOLUNTEER SOLDIERS. Pacific Branch, Santa Monica, Cal. **Admission**: Soldiers and mariners unable to earn their living. Applicants must present certificate of honorable discharge, and must transfer his pension certificate to the Home; free transportation to the Home is given. **Administration**: Board of eleven managers; the President of the United States, Chief Justice and Secretary of War are *ex-officio* members of the Board. **Inmates**: Year ending June 30, 1893, minimum present, 657; minimum present and absent, 872; maximum present, 923; maximum present and absent, 1,151; total ad-

mitted from date of organization to June 30, 1893, 2,078. The Home is full and no more can be received at present. Value of manufactured articles, \$261.40; value of produce of farm, \$10,927.14. Receipts, pension fund during the year, \$96,703.35. Number of pensioners, 670; per capita cost of maintenance, \$199.33. General expenditures, \$196,054.65. Special appropriation of congress for hospital barrack and extension of water supply, \$68,000; now completed. Arrangements are made to establish a Keely Institute at an early date. Cost the government for maintenance of the 550 from San Francisco, \$109,631.50; for transportation to the Home of 112 admitted this year, \$1,344.00. There are six other branches of the National Home, as follows: Central, Dayton, Ohio; Northwestern, Milwaukee, Wis.; Eastern, Togus, Me.; Southern, Hampton, Va.; Western, Leavenworth, Kansas; Marion, Marion, Ind. Expended for maintenance the past year, \$2,066,527.94. Average number of members present, 14,661; whole number cared for, 23,460; amount of pensions, \$2,291,057.57. In January, 1892, the Board authorized the employment of the gold treatment for drunkenness. Since then, in the five homes where it has been introduced, 1,400 claim to have been cured. Besides these, twenty State Homes are subsidized. Average number present, 5,501. Amount paid to State Home, \$537,-361.75. (See Veteran's Home Association, page 30, for report of California Home.)

## OLD PEOPLES' HOMES

KING'S DAUGHTERS HOME FOR INCURABLES. 217  
Francisco street. **Object**: A Home for those suffering from incurable diseases other than contagious. **Admission**: Open to all denominations; when able to pay, a charge is made of from \$10 to \$14 per month. **Administration**: Board of five directors elected annually by the Society. **Income**: Patient's board, \$2,512.32; 38 annual members at \$5.00; 6 life members at \$100; donations and subscriptions. Number of incurables in the Home year ending March 16, 1893, 57. Amount expended, \$7,376.01. The Society was incorporated Dec. 19, 1890. May 14, 1891, the Old People's Home Association presented them with the house and furniture now in use, together with the unexpired lease of land from the city. At present only 28 rooms on the lower floor can be used, but as

many more could be furnished on the floor above at an expense of about \$3,500 ; \$5,000 will permanently endow a room.

LICK OLD LADIES' HOME. University street, between Wyland and Felton streets. **Admission**: Applicant must be 60 years of age or over; open to all denominations and nationalities; only the indigent received; incurables not admitted. **Administration**: Board of five directors named by James Lick, self-perpetuating. Inmates, capacity 40; always full and many turned away. **Income**: State aid for 1893, \$3,867.37; endowment of \$60,000 by James Lick, etc. Expenditures, \$6,500. Land and buildings valued at \$40,000. Opened and incorporated 1884.

OLD PEOPLES' HOME. Cor. Pierce and Pine streets. **Object**: A home for the needy, sick and destitute of all nationalities and religions. **Admission**: Open to both men and women who have attained the age of 63 years. Candidates for life membership in the Home pay \$1,060, and enter the Home for 60 days; at the end of that time, if not mutually satisfactory, membership is cancelled and \$1,000 returned to the applicant. Some enter as boarders at \$15 per month. **Management**: Board of 27 lady managers elected annually by the Society. **Inmates**: Whole number cared for year ending May 4, 1893, 142, representing ten nationalities. Number in Home at the close of the year, 119. Full capacity, 150. **Income**: 66 annual members at \$4.00; four life members, \$100; from board of inmates, \$7,759.05; State aid, \$9,518.65; donations, etc.; total receipts, \$32,367.54. Disbursements, \$21,669.39; 572 garments were distributed during the year. The Home has a well furnished library and reading room and is in every way elegantly equipped. The present Home was built in 1890 at a cost of over \$500,000. Organized 1874, and incorporated 1878, as the Scandinavian Old Ladies' Home at Francisco street, near Powell street. Re-incorporated as above Sept. 15, 1884. Inmates of the Scandinavian Home still remain and are cared for free of charge.

CROCKER AUXILIARY, a society of young ladies, assist in managing the Home; membership limited to 30; monthly dues 25 cents. Each member must visit the Home two afternoons every month. Monthly entertainments are given at the Home.

OUR LADY'S HOME. Near St. Mary's Hospital, cor. First and Bryant streets. **Object**: Care of the aged and infirm.

**Admission:** Open to all denominations and all nationalities. Life membership secured by payment of from \$500 to \$1,500.

**Administration:** In charge of the Sisters of Mercy. **Income:** From the State, \$7,496.88; life membership fees, and occasional donations and bequests. **Inmates:** Average number for the year ending June, 1893, 125; amount expended \$14,915.18. In 1869, a large ward in St. Mary's Hospital was appropriated for the accommodation of aged females. In 1872 the present building was erected for their use. Since 1869, 463 have been sheltered. Of this number, 186 have died, leaving 118 to be cared for. Many are refused admission on account of insufficient accommodations. Property has been purchased in Fruitvale for \$15,000, and a suitable building will soon be erected. Incorporated January 11, 1894. Attached to the Home is the Mater Misericordiae, in which young women without friends may remain temporarily.

PACIFIC HEBREW HOME FOR THE AGED AND INFIRM. Devisadero, bet. Hayes and Grove streets. **Object:** The care of aged Israelites without adequate means of support.

**Administration:** Managed by a Board of Governors of the Pacific Hebrew Orphan Asylum and Home Society. **Admission:** Open to Israelites only, and applicant must be at least sixty years of age and must have resided in San Francisco for five consecutive years. All curable diseases must be cured before admission; no incurables admitted. Applicant must transfer all his or her property to the corporation. The Board may enter upon special agreement with applicants for admission at the following minimum rates: 60 to 65 years of age, \$1,000; 65 to 70, \$750; 70 and over, \$500. Board may also grant to societies placing inmates in the Home, the special minimum rate of \$25 per month. Each male inmate of the Home has a plot of ground where he may plant flowers and vegetables. **Income:** For the year ending August 31, 1893, from the Pacific Hebrew Orphan Asylum and Home Society, \$10,381.46. Of this amount, \$1,395.08 was paid the Society by the State for indigents over sixty years of age. Expended for maintenance, \$7,584.28; for building, \$1,894.51; other purposes, \$902.67; total, \$10,381.46. Number of inmates in the Home, ten men and seven women. The Home cost \$56,387.20; the expense of furnishing the Home (\$5,000), was borne entirely by the Ladies' Sewing Society. Home opened Nov. 22, 1891.

PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL OLD LADIES' HOME. Golden Gate, bet. Lott and Masonic avenues. **Object:** The

permanent care and maintenance of the poor, aged and infirm members of the Episcopal Church. **Admission**: Open to Episcopalian only, and no one suffering from contagious diseases or under 60 years of age admitted. The payment of \$300 secures life residence at the Home. **Management**: Board of 24 lady managers, four from each large church, and two from each small one. **Inmates**: April 1, 1893, 33. Full capacity, 37. Whole number cared for since its organization, 280. **Income**: From the State, \$3,023.93, 74 annual subscribers, \$5.00, 31 monthly subscribers, 25 cents, 14 life members, \$100, endowment fund of over \$1,000, inmates fees, \$1,205, donations, etc. Disbursements during the year, \$7,197.55. Organized Jan., 1869, at Silver street, thence removed to Mission, in 1872, to Van Ness avenue in 1874, to 1225 Market in 1876, to St. Luke's Hospital in 1879, and to the present location in 1885. Incorporated Jan. 25, 1870.

ST. JOSEPH'S HOME. Cor. Park Hill and Park Road avenues. **Object**: Nursing and caring for the poor and afflicted. **Administration**: In charge of the Franciscan Sisters. **Income**: Supported by charity and whatever the patients may be able to pay. There are 35 patients dependent on charity, 20 who pay something, and a very few who pay in full. Founded Sept. 5, 1889. Debt on the Home, \$45,000.

## ORPHAN ASYLUMS AND CHILDREN'S DAY HOMES

BISHOP ARMITAGE CHURCH ORPHANAGE. Office, 504 Kearny street. Hours: 12 M. to 1 P. M. Orphanage located at San Mateo, Cal. **Object**: The care and training of orphan, half-orphan, destitute and abandoned boys. **Admission**: Open to all denominations and all nationalities. Age limit, 13 years. **Management**: Board of 11 managers, Superintendent and Matron. **Inmates**: Number remaining June 30, 1892, 125; admitted during the year, 71; discharged, 40; remaining June 30, 1893, 156; 113 attended public school during the year; 31 were enrolled in the Orphan Kindergarten and 12 were infants; 91 were from San Francisco. Boys are given work on the farm, (28 acres), in the household, and at printing. **Income**:

From the State, \$7,024.83 ; from children's relatives, \$3,954.30 ; 11 life members ; 27 annual members , 184 monthly members, donations, etc. Total receipts during the year, \$17,071.80 ; disbursements, \$16,351.50 ; value of property, \$40,000 ; endowment covering all expenses of one orphan in perpetuity, \$2,000; to cloth one orphan in perpetuity, \$600; life membership, \$100; to cloth one child one year, \$30 ; to name a bed, \$15. Established 1886.

**BOYS' AND GIRLS' AID SOCIETY.** Cor. Grove and Baker streets. **Object:** To rescue the homeless, neglected or abused children of California, and to procure suitable homes or employment for such ; also, to assume guardianship when necessary, and to receive and provide for all juvenile offenders committed to the Society under Section 1388 of the Penal Code, which provides that the Court may suspend sentence in the case of such minors charged with misdemeanor or felony, as are deemed capable of reform, and commit them for two month's trial to any strictly non-sectarian and charitable corporation having for its object the reclamation of criminal minors. **Admission:** Children received from parents and others for discipline, to check gravitation to crime, and others for temporary care, while parents are ill, or pending legal proceedings ; board and lodgings furnished at cost to working girls and boys who are without homes or guardians. **Administration:** Board of nine Trustees elected by the Society, and an Advisory Board of nine lady managers elected from the members of the Society by the Board of Trustees. The Society employs a visiting agent who visits the wards of the Society twice during each year. District representatives are maintained as follows : Colusa, Will S. Green ; Ft. Bragg, F. A. Whipple ; Los Angeles, Mrs. F. M. B. Morse ; Napa City, Henry Hogan ; Redding, A. M. Goodnough ; Red Bluff, O. E. Graves ; Sacramento, Chas. M. Prodger ; San Diego, Bryant Howard ; San Jose, Mrs. Walter Perkins ; Santa Barbara, H. L. Stamback ; Santa Maria, M. Thornburg ; Stockton, Mrs. C. W. Dohrmann ; Wyandotte, I. L. R. Mansfield. Children placed out : 1—Until 16 years of age in consideration of board, clothing and regular schooling ; 2—Until 18, with above conditions, and \$100 in equal installments ; school attendance may cease at 16 ; 3—By adoption, the applicant bearing all legal expenses ; 4—On ordinary service at regular wages. At the Home the Society maintains libraries (about 5,000 volumes), reading rooms, baths, day and evening schools, sewing classes, singing classes and carpentering.

**Inmates:** At the Home, June 1, 1892, 79; admitted during the year from the courts, informally, and from the Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Children, 61; by legal commitment, San Francisco and other counties, 181; brought by parents and relatives, 85; returned from homes provided, 39; various sources, 32; total admitted, 398; disposed of to homes in private families, 142; to relatives and friends, 238; returned to courts for sentence, 4; sent to other institutions, 29; discharged or ran away, 25; total, 438; remaining June 1, 1893, 39; Since the organization of the Society in 1874, homes have been provided for over 1,500 boys and girls. **Income:** From interest on last year's cash balance of over \$17,000; State of California for care of orphans, \$2,754. Under section 1388 of Penal Code, (\$25 for two months' probation); from San Francisco County, \$4,250; Alameda County, \$50; Los Angeles County, \$63.10; Solano County, \$50; Sonoma County, \$50; Napa County, \$50; Board of Children, \$516; donations, monthly subscriptions, etc. Gross receipts, \$30,154.60. Disbursements, \$16,062.13. The children are encouraged to save, and have remaining on deposit in savings' banks, June 1, 1893, \$803.76. The Society was incorporated Sept. 15, 1874.

**CHILDREN'S DAY HOME.** 110 Hayes street. **Object:** To provide shelter and care for small children of widows and working women. **Admission:** Children taken from a few weeks old to 7 years of age, and cared for free of charge; daily instruction given; older brothers and sisters cared for before and after school hours. **Administration:** In charge of the Sisters of the Holy Family. Number of children, year ending January, 1894, 490; expenditures, \$2,880; besides this assistance was given to over 100 families. Founded Aug. 18, 1878, at 525 Post street. The Home becoming too small, a larger one was built in 1880 on the present site.

**ST. FRANCIS' DAY HOME.** 1413 Powell street. **Object** and **Management** similar to Children's Day Home above. Number of children registered from Jan. 1 to Oct. 25, 1893, girls, 207; boys, 175. Founded in 1880.

**SACRED HEART DAY HOME.** 508 Franklin street. **Object** and **Management** similar to Children's Day Home, above. Registration from Jan. 1 to Oct. 25, 1893; girls, 118; boys, 109.

**FRED FINCH ORPHANAGE.** Fruitvale, Alameda county, (P. O. Dimond). **Admission:** Children must be between 3 and 13 years of age, and must be orphan, half-orphan or aban-

doned by their parents. **Administration:** Board of 7 directors and 35 managers. **Income:** Year ending August 31, 1893, \$4,225.66 from douations; \$1,193.20 from the State. **Inmates:** Number in the Orphanage August, 1893, 60. Of these 40 attend the public school and 20 are infants. Expenditures from Sept. 1, 1892, to August 31, 1893, \$5,365.03. Per annum cost of caring for and clothing one child, \$130; cost of maintaining a bed, \$20; cost of endowing a bed, \$100. A house and six acres of land were given the Society by Captain D. B. Finch, and a new building was erected in 1892 at a cost of \$4,200. A great many were turned away during the last year for lack of room. The Society hopes soon to erect another building, costing \$4,000. Home opened Jan. 1, 1892. Incorporated Sept. 28, 1891.

**GIRLS' DIRECTORY.** Park Road and Lott street. **Object:** To provide shelter for poor girls of all denominations until work can be obtained, and to care for poor and abandoned children. No references required. **Management:** In charge of Sisters of Mercy. **Income:** From the State for orphans, \$2,598.43; donations mostly from the working classes. Present number of inmates (August, 1893), 115. Established Dec. 25, 1887, at 218 Grove street, thence removed to 301 Franklin street, and again to the present location.

**LADIES' PROTECTION AND RELIEF SOCIETY.** Home, Franklin, near Geary street. **Object:** To protect and assist destitute women and children. **Admission:** Girls between 3 and 14 years and boys between 3 and 10 cared for until homes can be found for them in Christian families; free to women seeking employment. **Administration:** Board of 24 managers and five directors elected by the Society. **Income:** Annual membership fee, \$5; life, \$50; State appropriation, \$11,805.66; from inmates' relatives, \$6,221.10; donations, legacies, etc. During the year ending Jan. 1, 1894, an average of 212 per month were cared for and sent to school. The largest number at any one time was 220. Several women have been aided during the year. Total receipts, 29,242. Disbursements, \$27,126. Established Aug. 4, 1853; incorporated August, 1854.

**LITTLE SISTERS' INFANT SHELTER.** 512 Minna street. **Object:** To provide care and instruction for little children whose parents are called from home to their work, also, benevolent purposes. **Admission:** No one over 6 years

of age admitted without special permission of Board of Directors; Board will not admit boys over 10 and girls over 14; must be vaccinated and free from contagious diseases; admitted for daily care as early as 6 A. M., and cared for as late as 7 P. M.; charge per day, 5 cents; under one year, \$15 per month; over one year, \$8 per month. **Management:** Board of nine lady directors elected annually by the Society. During the year ending March 1, 1893, daily care was given to 3,400 children; average number of boarders, 26, of which ten paid nothing, and the others a small sum only. Average number per day in the shelter 60, for whom often nothing was received. Enrolled attendance at kindergarten, 42, ages from  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 6 years; average attendance, 33. Seven children sent to the public school. **Income:** From board of children, \$1,681.25; fund of over \$4,000 drawing interest; 45 annual subscribers (\$5); fifteen monthly (50 cents); nine life members and contributions and donations. Expended during the year, \$3,421.75, which was \$39.91 more than receipts. Organized 1871; incorporated 1874.

**MARIA KIP ORPHANAGE.** 570 Harrison street. **Object:** The care of orphan, half-orphan and abandoned girls. **Admission:** Applicants must be under 12 years of age, and must be free from contagious diseases. **Administration:** Five directors and eleven lady managers elected annually by the Society; managers must be members of the Episcopal Church. Number of girls at opening of 1893, 68; admitted during the year, 23; homes procured for 18; remaining January, 1894, 73. **Income:** 50 annual members at \$3.00; six life at \$100; children's board, \$1,394.50; State aid, \$3,739.34; donations, etc. One room was furnished and its six occupants clothed by the "Faithful Ten" at an expense of \$157.45. St. Agatha's Guild of Grace Church similarly maintained a room with five occupants at an expense of \$78.90. "The Silent Circle" of Trinity Church supports a room with four inmates and St. Cecilia's Room is supported by Miss Decker. Total receipts for the year, \$8,087.96; disbursements, \$6,670.93. Organized 1890. Fund for new building amounts to \$8,572.20.

**MOUNT ST. JOSEPH'S INFANT ORPHAN ASYLUM.** Silver avenue, S. San Francisco. **Object:** The care, maintenance and education of orphans, half-orphans, abandoned children and foundlings of both sexes. **Administration:** In charge of the Sisters of Charity of St. Vincent de Paul. **Income:** From the State, year ending June 30, 1892, \$23,902.63;

legacies, donations, etc. The Asylum opened July 2, 1861, with two sisters and twelve small children. There were maintained at the Asylum, Jan. 1, 1892, to Jan. 1, 1893, 650. Amount expended during the year, \$32,374.13.

**NURSERY FOR HOMELESS CHILDREN.** 328 Bryant street. **Admission:** Boys and girls from 1 to 10 years of age admitted; undenominational, and without regard to color or nationality. Parents and guardians must pay, if able. **Administration:** Five directors and sixteen lady managers elected annually by the Society. During 1893, 130 children were cared for; monthly average 50; of these about two-thirds were abandoned children, for whom no State aid is received, and the rest were orphan and half-orphan; about 50 paid nothing. **Income:** From Board of Children, from annual dues of about 90 members at \$2.50; State, \$2,191.30; total receipts, \$5,866.33; disbursements, \$5,285.86. The Society was formerly incorporated as the San Francisco Female Hospital Society. There was at that time little demand for such work, so in March, 1878, the Society was re-incorporated as above. The building used as a Nursery is rented, and is not large enough to meet present needs. The Girls Auxiliary (55 members) have made 101 garments for the children during the year.

**PACIFIC HEBREW ORPHAN ASYLUM.** Devisadero, bet. Hayes and Grove streets. **Object:** The care and improvement of orphan children of Hebrew parentage. **Administration:** Managed by the Board of Governors of the Pacific Hebrew Orphan Asylum and Home Society. Income for the year ending Aug. 31, 1893, from the Pacific Hebrew Orphan Association and Homé Society, \$25,744.26. Of this amount \$7,598.99 was paid the Society by the State for orphans and half-orphans. Expenditures for maintenance, \$22,863.47; for building improvements, \$1,577.96; other purposes, \$1,302.83; total, \$25,744.26. **Inmates:** Number in the Asylum Aug. 31, 1892, 113; admitted during the year, 16; discharged, 14; remaining in the Home Aug. 31, 1893, 56 girls and 59 boys; of these 8 are learning trades outside the Asylum and one is an infant, 92 attend public school and the remainder receive kindergarten instruction at the Asylum. Opened 1871.

**PROTESTANT ORPHAN ASYLUM SOCIETY.** Asylum, Haight, bet. Laguna and Buchanan streets. **Object:** To take under its care destitute and friendless orphan and half-orphan

children, and provide them with a home, sustenance and education during the period of their dependence. **Admission**: Applicant must bring physician's certificate of vaccination and freedom from contagious diseases; must be under ten years of age, unless a full orphan, and must obtain a written order from one of the Committee; only Protestants admitted. **Management**: About 130 life members at \$100; 21 annual subscribers at \$2, represented by Board of 18 Managers, Matron and Assistant Matron. Kindergarten and other instruction given. No children sent out except on trial for three months; none indentured unless they are ten years of age, and can write a legible hand. Number of children, February, 1892, 213; admitted during the year, 73; removed by friends, 62; placed in families, 17; adopted, 2; leaving 205, February, 1893. Full capacity, 230. **Income**: From investments, \$9,632.84; from State, \$16,467.45; from board of half-orphans, \$3,042.00; from donations, \$2,348.50; other sources, \$2,526.51. Expenditures, \$35,647.08. Organized and incorporated 1851, cor. Second and Folsom street, whence it was removed March, 1854, to the present location. Valuation of property, \$235,140.

ROMAN CATHOLIC ORPHAN ASYLUM. N street, bet. Eighteenth and Twentieth avenues, South San Francisco. **Object**: The care, relief and protection of orphans, and of disabled and indigent persons. **Admission**: All denominations and nationalities admitted. **Administration**: In charge of Sisters of Charity. **Income**: From the State, year ending June 30, 1893, \$29,768.27; donations and contributions by relatives. About 836 orphan children cared for during the year. Disbursements, about \$41,800. Founded Aug. 18, 1852, by five Sisters of Charity from Emmettsburg, Md.

SALVATION ARMY ORPHAN ASYLUM. 434 Second street. **Admission**: Orphans, foundlings and abandoned children from infancy to 12 years of age. Number admitted to February, 1894, 39; returned to parents, 11; died, 1; remaining, 27. Expenditures, \$705.68. The rent of the Home is paid by an unknown friend. Opened Nov. 2, 1893.

ST. VINCENT'S ORPHAN ASYLUM. San Rafael. **Object**: To shelter and educate orphan boys and to secure homes for them when beyond school age. **Admission**: Only boys seven years of age and over admitted. **Management**: In charge of priests appointed by the Archbishop; school is conducted by nuns of the Dominican order. **Inmates**: About 1290. **Income**: From the State, for the year ending June 30,

1892, \$47,508.73, and collections in the churches of the diocese. Disbursements, about \$64,500. Established in 1855 by Archbishop Alemany, upon a gift of land from Timothy Murphy.

SAN FRANCISCO LYING-IN HOSPITAL AND FOUNDLING ASYLUM. 913 Golden Gate avenue. **Object:** The care, protection and proper treatment of unprotected single women and their offspring ; also abandoned children. **Admission:** No children over two years of age received. **Management:** Board of six Trustees and Dr. W. F. Cheeney, attending physician and superintendent. **Income:** State aid for foundlings (41 cents per day) for the year ending June 30, 1892, \$1,588.59. Lying-in patients are charged a small sum to cover cost ; others pay what they can afford. During the past year, 24 confinement cases treated, and 170 children received care. Closed October, 1893.

YOUTHS' DIRECTORY. 2030 Howard street. **Object:** A temporary shelter for homeless boys. **Administration:** Rev. William O'Mahoney in charge. During the year ending March 1, 1893, 441 were provided for in addition to 54 remaining over from the previous year. Of these 355 were sent by parents, guardians or friends ; 38 came from the city prison ; 4 from the streets, and 29 from the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children. During the year 129 were sent from the Directory to the San Rafael Orphan Asylum ; 61 to the Infant Orphan Asylum ; 6 to the Asylum at Watsonville ; 182 reformed and returned to parents ; 39 placed in homes ; 4 left without permission ; 12 placed on farms, and 62 remained. Letters of guardianship were granted in 23 cases, making 175 in all. There is also a free employment bureau which secured 190 positions during the year. Disbursements, about \$18,300. Supported by charitable contributions. Opened in 1874 at the corner of Tenth and Howard streets.

## CO-OPERATIVE HOMES

LADIES' SEAMEN'S FRIEND SOCIETY. Sailor's Home, N. E. cor. Harrison and Main streets. **Object:** To relieve shipwrecked and destitute seamen and to protect seamen against the pernicious influence and injustice to which they are subjected in this port, and for such other purposes as shall tend to their moral and intellectual improvement. Also, to

provide a burial place for indigent seamen who die in this port or are brought here for interment. **Admission:** Any person may become a member of this Society by paying \$1 annually, or \$25 for a life membership, having been invited to do so by two-thirds of the members. **Management:** Board of 24 managers, elected annually by the Society. **Income:** For the year ending July 31, 1893: Board of Sailors (2,761), \$17,816.49; sales of merchandise, \$14,709.95. About 25 annual members, and 20 life members. Expenditures, \$28,774.76; of this about \$1,031.10 was for charity. Incorporated August 4, 1858. Removed from the corner of Vallejo and Battery to present location, 1876.

SAN FRANCISCO GIRLS' UNION. Home located 909 Taylor street, bet. Pine and California streets. **Object:** To extend material aid to self-dependent girls, irrespective of creed or denomination. **Admission:** Women or girls between 10 and 35 years of age, of good moral character, with ability to earn a livelihood. **Administration:** Board of eleven directors elected annually by the Corporation membership. **Income:** From girls' board (\$3.50 to \$4.50 per week), yearly subscriptions (nineteen members at \$1), donations, etc. Yearly dues and donations amounting to \$1,431.40 go to lessen the price of board. During the year ending Sept. 21, 1893, there were at the Home, 520 girls, several of whom were temporarily given board and lodgings free of charge; many were turned away for lack of room. Through the business bureau several situations were secured. Total receipts for the year, \$4,209.44; disbursements, \$4,167.40. During the eight years reported, 4,125 girls were provided with a home here. A lot nearly opposite the Home has been purchased for \$11,500, on which it is hoped a larger Home will soon be erected. Several legacies have reduced the indebtedness on the lot to about \$4,000. Organized at 714 Bush street, March 27, 1884. Incorporated June 6, 1884. Removed to present location September, 1891.

YOUNG WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION. 1221 O'Farrell street. **Object:** To provide employment for destitute women, to seek out and aid as need requires friendless and homeless women, to visit hospitals and jails, and to extend Christian sympathy and love to all who need it. **Admission:** Any person may become a member by paying \$1 annually; present number, 200; life membership fee, \$25; present number, 55. **Administration:** Board of eleven directors

and 22 managers. At the Home room and board are furnished at from \$3.50 to \$5.00 per week. During the year ending Jan. 6, 1893, there were at the Home 446 regular boarders; 1,500 were assisted in various ways; 514 furnished employment. The sewing class for young girls numbered 180; 120 were given lessons in cooking; 870 partook of Thanksgiving dinner at the expense of the Association; 70 passes and tickets were provided and 2,200 garments were given away. Howard Street Branch, 514 Howard street. During the year a lunch room for working girls was established, where five cents procured five meal tickets, each ticket being good for one dish; 25,876 lunches were served, for which \$766.62 were received. Average daily attendance, 89. Largest number present in one day, 153; a sewing school was maintained; average attendance 75 per week. Opened April 20, 1891. On Oct. 24, 1892, another branch was opened at 116 Davis street, and lunches are furnished working girls; average attendance, 110; sewing classes crowded every Saturday. Total enrollment, 246. Expenses, \$154.20. Total expenditures, \$15,746.37. Receipts for membership, dues, board and lunches, \$9,496.06. Organized on Howard street; in 1877 removed to 912 Sutter street, then to present location in 1889. Incorporated 1886.

## TEMPORARY HOMES

CENTRAL GOSPEL MISSION. Third and Stevenson streets. Besides holding gospel meetings every evening, temporary relief in meals and lodgings are given the needy. For the year ending January, 1893, expenditures, \$1,817.17. Sustained by voluntary contributions. Founded 1891.

CHRIST'S RESCUE HOME. Basement of Nucleus building, Third and Market streets. **Object:** To give a helping hand to the needy. Temporary food and shelter will be provided for about 50 persons per day. Opened Jan. 13, 1894. The Society is incorporated, and has had a home in Oakland five years, and another in San Jose. Supported by voluntary contributions and subscriptions.

CHRISTIAN UNION MISSION. 107 Mason street. **Object:** To provide shelter and relief for the destitute and to reclaim the fallen; also, to furnish employment for the people who are in need of work. Admission to the Society is gained by the payment of the yearly contribution of \$5. Honorary

members pay \$20 per annum; honorary life members, \$100. These are not responsible for the debts of the Society, and have no voice in its management except as they become councilors. **Management:** Each Evangelical Christian Church in the city is entitled to select three members, to act as councilors, who appoint a board of fifteen directors. The dormitory in the basement contains 124 spring cots, adjoining a large dining room, a well appointed kitchen and a laundry. The audience room upstairs is used for religious services. Tickets are issued at 10 cents each, entitling the holder to a meal or a bed. These tickets will be sold to applicants for charity, or to those who wish to dispense them instead of money to persons wishing assistance. Report for last three months at the old Bijou Theatre, (June, July and August), meals provided, 2,784; lodgings not paid for, 1,240; lodgings paid for, 3,663. Employment found for 41 men and 1 girl. 190 pieces of clothing supplied to 84 persons. Rescue work for girls opened in July, with Mrs. G. N. Valentine as matron. **Inmates:** July, 5; August, 9; during the first four months on Mason street, 1,994 meals were paid for; 3,816 not paid for; 10,275 lodgings paid for, and 1,824 not paid for. Organized at 729 Market street, Nov. 10, 1892. Removed to the present location in September, 1893. A separate home is now rented for girls.

# Preventive and Rescue Work

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CALIFORNIA ASSOCIATION FOR THE PROTECTION OF PERSONS CHARGED WITH INSANITY. Office, Room 18, 330 Pine street. J. B. de las Casas, Secretary. **Object**: To enforce the existing laws of the state regulating the commitment of the insane, to secure better laws, and to maintain such supervision of the asylums as shall insure the proper care and treatment of the inmates. **Income**: Voluntary contributions, and membership dues. Number of members January, 1894, 104. Through the efforts of the Society the commitment of the insane has been taken from the hands of the "Commission," whose origin is doubtful, and now commitment is made legally in open court. Organized Sept. 11, 1893.

CALIFORNIA SOCIETY FOR THE PREVENTION OF CRUELTY TO CHILDREN. Donohue building. 1170 Market street. Chas. B. Holbrook, Secretary. Office hours, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. **Object**: To secure the enforcement of the laws of the State relating to children (see appendix), and to educate a public sentiment of humanity and gentleness. Admission to the Society is gained by the payment of \$5 annually. Life members pay \$100. **Management**: Board of eleven Directors elected annually by the Society. Report for the year ending Dec. 31, 1893:

Complaints received.....	888	CHILDREN PLACED IN INSTITUTIONS.	
" investigated.....	867		
No. of children involved .....	1,689	St. Joseph's Youths' Directory..... 92	
Prosecutions .....	113	Boys' and Girls' Aid Society..... 74	
Convictions.....	70	S. F. Foundling Home .....	9
Dismissals .....	32	R. C. Orphan Asylum..... 17	
Cases pending trial.....	11	St. Joseph's Orphan Asylum .....	24
Children relieved .....	825	Protestant Orphan Asylum..... 2	
Children placed in institutions.....	351	Sheltering Home, Oakland..... 6	
" " " families.....	95	Ladies' Protcu. and Relief Society 28	
" rtd. to parents or grdns. ....	42	Children's Hospital..... 11	
Citations served.....	27	Children's Home, Hayes street... 1	
Subcpna. served.....	262	Fred Finch Orphanage..... 2	
Petitions for guardianship filed.....	12	Girls' Directory..... 27	
No. of wards visited .....	40	Maria Kip Orphanage..... 4	
" " " called at office.....	27	Presbyterian Chinese Mission..... 3	
" " " heard from.....	54	Christian Union Mission..... 25	
Total wards of the Society.....	150	Eugenia Home, Berkeley..... 4	

## PROSECUTIONS.

Failure to provide.....	26	Causing child to suffer .....	13
Vagrancy.....	37	Using minors to dance and sing...	7
Admitting minors to saloon.....	5	Delivering liquors to minors..... 3	
Using minors as acrobats.....	2	Common drunk .....	4
Threats to kill .....	2	Using minors to peddle..... 1	
Petty larceny.....	4	Giving indecent dance..... 3	
Seduction under promise to marry	1	Battery..... 1	
Admit'g minor to house prostitu'n	3	Selling opium without license..... 1	

Since organization to Dec. 31, 1893, the Society has investigated 8,563 cases, involving the welfare of 12,749 children, of whom 5,761 were immediately or permanently relieved, and all benefitted; 2,898 placed in institutions; 532 provided suitable homes in private families; 1,378 persons prosecuted for various acts of cruelty, and the Society made by the courts legal guardian for 273 children. **Income:** (1893), From fines, \$93; donations, \$10,000; dues from 264 annual members, etc. Total receipts, \$12,278.96. Total disbursements, \$2,806.50. The Society has agents in twelve cities and towns as follows:

Livermore, W. W. Wynne.	Los Angeles, M. V. Wright.
San Jose, Jos. F. Scull.	Napa, Dr. Benj. Shurtliff.
Healdsburg, J. B. Leard.	Benecia, A. Dalton, Sr.
Merced, J. A. Morrill.	Tulare, E. T. Bucknam.
Ukiah, N. Hamilton.	Santa Rosa, J. B. Fay.
Stockton, J. E. Ruggles.	Colusa, B. F. Howard.

Incorporated Aug. 29, 1876.

CALIFORNIA SOCIETY FOR THE SUPPRESSION OF VICE. 604 Merchant street. **Object:** To secure the enactment and enforcement of laws for the suppression of trade in and circulation of obscene literature, illustrations, advertisements, and articles of indecent and immoral use: and for the suppression of such other vices as may be determined upon by the Society. **Management:** Board of fifteen Directors chosen by the Society, who appoint five of their number as an Executive Committee. Candidates for membership in the Society nominated by a director and elected by not less than two-thirds of the directors present. Annual dues, \$5. Life membership, \$100. Summary of part of the work done in 1892: 31 complaints received, 23 cases investigated, eight cases referred to other societies, nine cases offenders not found, eight arrests, five prosecutions, four convictions, three dismissed by the courts, eight remedied without prosecution. Aggregate fines, forfeits, etc., \$70.

Obscene books confiscated.....	43
"    paintings    ".....	3
"    photographs    ".....	116
"    busts and figures confiscated.....	3
"    negative plates    ".....	27
"    circulars.....	2,150
"    cards and slips    ".....	207

About \$1,500 expended. Organized, Aug. 15, 1884.

JAPANESE SOCIETY FOR THE SUPPRESSION OF VICE. Organized at the Japanese Mission, 531 Jessie street, August, 1893. **Object**: To prevent traffic in women. Consists of a committee of ten Japanese gentlemen ; M. Yamati, G. Nagai, T. Sumamati, K. Abiko, R. Sugisaka, J. Arai, K. Yamakeshi, S. Sasaki, J. Yoshino and H. Kobayati.

PACIFIC SOCIETY FOR THE SUPPRESSION OF VICE. Room 100, Donohoe building, 1170 Market street. Secretary, F. J. Kane. Hours, 9 to 10 A. M., 4 to 5 P. M. **Object**: The suppression of all kinds of vice, including illicit literature, obscene pictures and books, the sale of morphine, cocaine, opium, tobacco and liquors to minors, lottery tickets, etc. **Income**: Annual dues, \$5; present membership 50. From Dec. 1 to Jan 26, 1894, the Society has caused 70 arrests and obtained 48 convictions; remaining cases still pending. Organized and incorporated Oct. 21, 1893.

SOCIETY FOR THE PREVENTION OF CRUELTY TO ANIMALS. Office, Room 95 Donohue building, 1170 Market street. **Object**: To provide ways and means to secure the enforcement of "An act for the more effectual prevention of cruelty to animals" approved March 30, 1868, and to educate public sentiment toward greater gentleness in the treatment of animals. **Management**: Board of fifteen Trustees chosen by the stockholders, who appoint the officers for the several districts of the city. Report for the year ending July, 1893 :

Number of complaints received	1,982	Malicious or trifling.....	27
" " prosecutions.....	219	Worn out animals killed.....	50
" " cases investigated...	1,965	Sick and injured removed.....	70
" relieved without pros'n	1,678	by ambulance.....	70
Cases offender not found.....	35	Number of animals.....	4,766
Number of animals relieved....	4,632	Suspended from work.....	1,437

Value of animals removed by ambulance, \$9,235

The ambulance of the society can be had on application to the office during office hours; at other hours, telephone 3069; charges, including necessary help for reasonable distances, \$6. Number of members of the Society, 389. Receipts, \$12,894.91. Disbursements, \$3,916.46. Organized and incorporated April, 1868. The first Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals was inaugurated in London, June 16, 1824.

MAGDALEN ASYLUM. Potrero avenue, near Twenty-first street. **Object**: The reformation of fallen women, and the protection of those in danger of falling. **Admission**: All denominations and nationalities admitted. **Administration**: Eighteen Sisters of Mercy in charge. **Inmates**: Average num-

ber for 1892, 120. Present number (August, 1893), 118. From August, 1856, to August, 1893, 1,806 were sheltered at the Asylum. **Income:** Supported by receipts of laundry, needle-work, relatives of inmates, donations and bequests. Property valued at \$96,360. **History:** In 1869, when the female department of the San Francisco Industrial School was closed by the city authorities, girls of the vagrant or criminal class were consigned to this Asylum by the courts, the city paying \$15 each per month while under age. The report for the year 1891 gives the total number of women and girls as 178, and of this number 43 were paid for by the city. In 1892 the Board of Supervisors transferred all the girls to the State Reform School at Whittier. The asylum was first opened on Stockton street, near Vallejo street, August, 1856; thence removed to Grove and Van Ness avenue in 1862, and was permanently located on Potrero street, opposite Twenty-first street, in 1868. Incorporated Jan. 11, 1894.

The Society of the Good Shepherd was formed to aid this institution, its members paying \$1 per year, or becoming life-members on the payment of \$15.

PACIFIC RESCUE HOME ASSOCIATION. Office, 520 Kearny street. Rev. J. W. Elsworth, Manager. **Object:** To befriend and rescue wayward girls. **Management:** Board of eleven lady Managers elected by the Association. Number in the Home, Jan. 1, 1893, 20; admitted during the year, 66; remaining Dec. 31, 24; number at service doing well, 32; returned to parents, doing well, 13; married, 5; known to have gone wrong, 4; number of births at the home, 54; of these ten were placed in Asylums; nine adopted by good families; four died and 31 were cared for by their mothers. A kindergarten was fitted up during the year. Seventeen requests to search for wandering girls were received during the year, of which 8 were unsuccessful; 3 refused to return to their homes, and 6 were returned to their parents. A children's annex was built during the year at an expense of \$1,077.05. Total receipts for the year \$8,752.14, all of which was paid out. **History:** In November, 1888, a "Home of Refuge" was started by Rev. Geo. Newton, and others; in July 1889 the present Society took charge, and soon incorporated as above. In 1890 a home was started in Oakland, and in 1891 was united with the San Francisco Home.

PRESBYTERIAN MISSION HOME. 920 Sacramento street. **Object:** The education, care and protection of Chinese women and girls. **Administration:** Board of eleven lady di-

rectors, supported by 227 auxiliary societies of the Women's Occidental Board of Foreign Missions of the Presbyterian Church. **History:** The Missionary Society was founded in 1873 for the evangelization of heathen women on the Pacific Coast, and in 1874 the Home was opened at 8½ Prospect Place. In 1876 the Home was removed to 933 Sacramento street, where it remained until December, 1893, when it was removed to its present location. Largest number cared for were in 1880 and 1888, when the law was enforced protecting minors in service. Since its foundation, 393 girls have been admitted, 47 of whom entered during the last year ending April 1893. Total number for the year, 89. Home in charge of Miss M. Culbertson. Daily instruction given. Largest number of pupils, 45. July 8, 1878, the Occidental School was opened at 911 Clay street, with 12 pupils. It was afterward removed to larger quarters at 753 Clay street, and again in June, 1892, to 10 Brenhan Place. Enrolled attendance, 55. Miss M. Alexander, teacher. The Society has been instrumental in bringing about 96 legal marriages. Over 100 families visited by Miss Lucy Durham. Amount expended during the year, \$6,000. Cost of the Mission building, \$37,000.

**PRISON AND HOSPITAL RELIGIOUS ASSOCIATION.** (Non-sectarian.) Office, 415 Montgomery street, Room 16. Rev. W. H. Tubb, Missionary and Financial Agent, 1111 Rhode Island street. Two assistant missionaries. **Object:** To visit and befriend the inmates of the Almshouse, City and County Hospital and especially the prisoners in the City Jails; also, as soon as practicable to found an Industrial Home for discharged prisoners. **Management:** Board of eleven directors, consisting of a minister, and the collector of each contributing church or society.

**SALVATION ARMY RESCUE HOME.** 555 Jessie street. Miss I. L. Canney in charge. Open to friendless and unfortunate women and girls. Number admitted year ending Dec. 31, 1893, 72; number reformed, 60; number found situations, 53; number returned home, 9; remaining in the Home, 10. Beside this, temporary shelter was given to 17 persons; food was given to 8,375 women and children (value \$9,050); clothing to 3,620 women and children, beside 775 pairs of shoes; also, rent paid for women, \$75; night's lodgings for women, 720; fares paid, 210; situations found for 409 women. Expenditures, \$2,109.63.

SHELTERING ARMS. 579 Harrison street. **Object:** To rescue and reform. **Management:** There is no board of managers, no committee of ways and means, no constitution and by-laws, or rules and regulations of any sort; no State aid, bank account or treasurer. Sister Julia, the founder, has full charge. **Income:** House rent and many donations given by Geo. W. Gibbs. Subscriptions solicited by Sister Julia. July, 1893, there were in the Home 18 under 11 years of age, besides about 10 lying-in patients. All these were cared for by nurses trained by Sister Julia. About \$145 was expended in July. The work was started in 1887 on Washington street, thence removed to Hayes and Valley, and again to its present location, August, 1890. At least \$300 per month is needed to meet all demands.

# Educational.

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## KINDERGARTENS.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH KINDERGARTEN.  
934½ Harrison street. Number of teachers, 2; pupils enrolled, 130; average attendance, 45. Expenditures, \$950.

GOLDEN GATE KINDERGARTEN ASSOCIATION.  
Mrs. Sarah B. Cooper, President, 1902 Vallejo street. This Association carries on thirty-five Kindergartens, as follows:—

Stanford Memorial Free Kindergarten, No. 1, 1906 Mason street. Organized July 7, 1884.

Stanford Memorial Free Kindergarten, No. 2, 1906 Mason street. Organized July 14, 1884.

Stanford Memorial Free Kindergarten, No. 3, Eighth and Brannan streets. Organized December 15, 1884.

Stanford Memorial Free Kindergarten, No. 4, Eighth and Brannan streets. Organized January 26, 1885.

Stanford Memorial Free Kindergarten, No. 5, 3270 Mission street. Organized July 13, 1885.

Hearst Free Kindergarten No. 1, 512 Union street. Organized October 6, 1883.

Hearst Free Kindergarten, No. 2, 512 Union street. Organized August 5, 1889.

Hearst Free Kindergarten No. 3, 512 Union street. Organized July 14, 1890.

Helping Hand Free Kindergarten No. 1, 512 Union street. Organized September 5, 1887.

Helping Hand Free Kindergarten, No. 2, 512 Union street. Adopted August 6, 1888.

Helping Hand Free Kindergarten, No. 3, 512 Union street. Organized July 14, 1890.

Junior Helping Hand Free Kindergarten, No. 4, 512 Union street. Organized July 25, 1893.

J. Sheldon Lux Potter Free Kindergarten, 74 W. Mission street. Adopted January 1, 1888.

J. Sheldon Lux Potter Free Kindergarten, 74 W. Mission street. Organized July 13, 1891.

Produce Exchange Free Kindergarten, 1233 Pacific street. Organized October 4, 1884. Re-organized October 6, 1887.

Lester Norris Memorial Free Kindergarten, 1231 Pacific street. Organized December 12, 1888.

Pacific Street Free Kindergarten, 1233 Pacific street. Organized July 22, 1889.

Pope Free Kindergarten, 213 Ninth street. Organized January 1, 1886. Re-organized January 1, 1888.

Hazel Montgomery Free Kindergarten, 211 Ninth street. Organized November 18, 1889.

Willard Free Kindergarten, 1905 Turk street. Adopted October 1, 1888.

Emily Faithfull Free Kindergarten, 3270 Mission street. Organized June 20, 1881. Re-organized October 6, 1890.

Two Friends' Free Kindergarten, 1018 Folsom street. Organized June 12, 1880. Adopted June 1, 1890.

Potrero Free Kindergarten, Tennessee and Solano streets. Organized July 14, 1890.

T. Fuller Shattuck Jr. Memorial Free Kindergarten, 74 West Mission street. Organized October 20, 1890.

Emily P. Walker Memorial Free Kindergarten, 211 Ninth street. Organized January 1, 1891.

Merchants' Free Kindergarten, 74 West Mission street. Organized July 13, 1891.

Pearl Dowda Memorial Free Kindergarten, 2927 Mission street. Organized April 6, 1891.

William N. Steuben Memorial Free Kindergarten, Nineteenth and Hampshire streets. Organized September 7, 1891.

Insurance Free Kindergarten, Nineteenth and Hampshire streets. Organized September 7, 1891.

Attorneys' Free Kindergarten, 535 Castro street. Organized October 5, 1891.

Real Estate Free Kindergarten, 535 Castro street. Organized October 5, 1891.

Sarah H. Condon Memorial Free Kindergarten, 1310 Broderick street. Organized July 11, 1892.

Osgood and Grace Memorial Free Kindergarten, 369 Eleventh street. Organized October 3, 1892.

Joseph Rosenberg Memorial Free Kindergarten, 369 Eleventh street. Organized October 3, 1892.

Grant Memorial Free Kindergarten, Alabama and Twenty-third streets. Organized July 10, 1893.

**Administration:** Board of eleven directors, (self perpetuating,) and Board of Managers chosen from the Association by the Board of Directors. **Income:** 485 annual subscribers at \$3.00, and 583 life members at \$25, donations, endowments, etc. During the past year, Charles Lux has given \$22,000 for

the support of the Lux-Potter Kindergartens, and Mrs. Stanford \$174,000 to support the Stanford Memorials. Total receipts, year ending October 6th, 1893, \$43,196.81; disbursements, \$32,195.28. Total enrollment of pupils, 3,318; number of teachers, 65. Each kindergarten has a matron to give breakfast to the children, to help them make their toilets, etc. Total enrollment for the past fourteen years, 18,441. Total receipts, \$277,034.72. Over 70,000 annual reports distributed; 167 free Kindergartens organized directly through the influence of the Association. Organized October 6, 1879; incorporated October 6, 1884.

**NATHANIEL GRAY MEMORIAL.** 1230 Union street. Number of teachers, 2; enrollment, 140. Average attendance, 42. Expenses, \$960.

**PIONEER KINDERGARTEN SOCIETY.** Pierce and Union. This Society supports the following Kindergartens: Silver Star, Nos. 1 and 2, corner Pacific and Sansome; Adler, Second and Folsom; and Mail Dock, 218 Brannan. **Income:** 240 subscribers. Total enrollment of pupils, year ending June, 1893, 350; number of teachers, 10. Receipts for the year, \$11,542.39. Expenses, \$6,144.95. The first free Kindergarten of the city was established on Silver street, September 1st, 1878; in 1885, Adler was organized, and in January, 1886, Mail Dock; January, 1890, Silver Star was divided into Nos. 1 and 2. Organized and incorporated July 1, 1878.

**SILVER STREET KINDERGARTEN SOCIETY.** Supports the Crocker, Eaton and Peabody Kindergartens at 64 Silver street. **Income:** 130 subscribers. Total number of children enrolled, year ending January, 1893, 200; number of teachers, 5. Receipts, \$4,262.61; expenses, \$3,110.72. House-keeper's class for girls from eight to thirteen years of age numbers 36. Boys' Free Library opened March 22, 1892. Expenditures to end of year, \$1,481.37. Opened from 2 to 6 p. m. daily. Average daily attendance, 65. The California Kindergarten Training School, organized 1880, and incorporated 1892, meets at 64 Silver street. Free to a certain number; others charged \$50 for a ten month's attendance, when acting as an assistant; regular fee, \$100. 238 have been given diplomas prior to June, 1890. The California Froebel Society meets at 64 Silver street the first Friday in each month, at 2:30 p. m. to study Froebel's methods. Graduates of the training school admitted. Membership fee, \$1.00. The library contains 150 volumes. Organized 1880.

## CLUBS, ETC.

BUFORD KITCHENGARTEN. 928 Harrison street. Miss May M. Hooper, Secretary, Clay and Laguna streets. Number of children enrolled during 1893, 145; number of teachers, 30. The children are taught housekeeping, sewing and other occupations by the young ladies who give their time and labor to this work. Supported by charity. About \$300 expended during the year.

DEACONESS' HOME. 136 Chestnut street. Maintained by the M. E. Church. **Object:** Visitation among the poor and needy. In February, 1892, the work was temporarily abandoned on account of sickness. Miss Rich, one of the deaconesses, resumed work in May, 1893, at 1340 Howard street. She has conducted a weekly mothers' meeting, a sewing school for girls, (40 members,) and an industrial school for boys. \$80.25 and fifty garments given in charity up to January 1, 1894.

HARRISON STREET BOYS' CLUB. 928 Harrison street. Home, 25 Oak Grove Avenue, (off Harrison, bet. Fifth and Sixth streets). **Object:** To make good men and good citizens of the boys, (between ten and sixteen years of age,) living in that portion of San Francisco known as "South of Market street," by encouraging them in self-management, and by giving them a wider interest in the best things of life. **Management:** Captain and Mrs. McDonald have charge of the Home, and assist in the management of the Club. In addition, there is a Board of fourteen Managers, each one of whom is also a teacher, and five other teachers who have no voice in the management. In order that the influence of the teacher may be felt on each boy, the number who may join the Club is limited to five for each teacher. The teachers all come from the higher walks of life, are well educated, and render voluntary service, each being pledged to attend and assist in carrying on at least one meeting each week. At present the number of boys is 96, and the number of teachers present each evening 3, instructing 15 boys. The different Clubs remain associated with the same working members for four months; at the end of that time they pass on to meet on another evening with other members, to learn another kind of work. The drawing club does not rotate. Meetings of the Club are held each evening, each boy attending one evening in the week. On

three afternoons in the week similar meetings are held for younger boys. On Saturday evening short popular talks are given by paid or voluntary speakers on such subjects as natural science, books, history, government, army, navy, trades, etc. On Sunday afternoon the library containing 200 volumes and periodicals is open, and books may be taken out. On Sunday evening ethical talks are given. Once a week they meet as a boys' brigade to drill in the hall, 928 Harrison street. Once a month entertainments are given by the boys of some one club to which all the other clubs are admitted. At these meetings refreshments are sometimes served. "At Homes" are occasionally given, to which the parents are invited, in order that they may see the work done by the boys. Sewing meetings for mothers are often held in the afternoon. Instruction is given in manual training, drawing, singing, games, hammock netting, whittling, basket weaving (fancy), chair caning, rope knot brading, rag carpet sewing, wood carving, leather sewing and cobbling. Progressive lessons in the use of knife, square and gauge are given from a course adopted in the Springfield public schools. Every alternate piece of work done at the rooms is given to the boys as their own property—the other piece becoming the property of the Club, to be used or sold. The boys have been started in making a series of collections, such as flags of all nations, samples of all kinds of knots, drawings of rigs of ships, colored drawings, all of which are arranged on cardboard and exhibited in the rooms. The drawing class is making a collection of drawings of common plants in the vicinity. A stamp-saving society has been organized to encourage the boys in saving pennies, and especially to encourage saving for some definite end. Cards are issued to members, and stamps of different denominations are sold, which are pasted on the cards as certificates of deposit. These are cashed when a week's notice has been duly given. (Taken from Boston society.) **Income:** Each of 14 managers pledged to raise \$5.00 per month. There are 53 subscribers at present. Receipts to January, 1893, \$644.90; expenses, \$586.90. Organized 1892.

## SCHOOLS

CALIFORNIA HOME FOR THE CARE AND TRAINING OF FEEBLE-MINDED CHILDREN. Gelston, Sonoma Co., Cal. A. E. Osborne, M. D., Ph. D., Superintendent.  
**Admission:** Children between the ages of five and twenty-one

years, incapable of receiving instruction in the common schools, who have had residence in the State for one year next preceding the date of petition, may be committed by order of the County Court or judge. The Court shall decide whether parents are to pay all, or a part, or nothing, as they are able. Trustees may admit younger or older persons, and those outside the State, if there is room, the charges to be fixed by the trustees. **Administration:** Five trustees, appointed by the Governor, serve four years each ; superintendent and thirty-five assistants.

	Males.	Females.
Inmates, July 1, 1891.....	82	63
Admissions to July 1, 1892.....	57	49
Discharged.....	6	1
Died.....	4	3
Remaining July 1, 1892.....	129	108
From California.....	127	86
From other States.....	39	50
Foreign.....	11	11
Unknown.....	...	3
Training School, March 1, 1893.....	88	61
Asylum.....	42	34
Manse (epileptic population).....	27	28
 Total.....	 157	 123

The larger proportion of these are cared for free of charge. Expended for maintenance, \$42,497.11. Cost per diem per inmate, \$0.557. Cost the State for maintenance of 92 from San Francisco, year 1892, \$11,715.04. **Income:** From State, for maintenance, \$42,497.11; for building, equipment, etc., \$84,213.96; from parents and guardians, \$4,057.65; sale of products, \$1,770.80; special donations, \$1,074.43; from San Francisco parents and guardians, \$1,895.75. There are 1,700 acres of land, 80 acres of which are in vineyard and orchard. Land and buildings cost \$325,000. An addition building, to cost \$98,000, is now in process of erection. The old property at Santa Clara is valued at \$40,000. Organized and incorporated, August, 1883. Home opened May 22, 1884, at Vallejo, with 30 patients. It was soon removed to Alameda, and when it was handed over to the State, in 1885, it was removed to Santa Clara. November 24, 1891, it was removed to the present location.

CALIFORNIA INSTITUTION FOR DEAF AND DUMB, AND THE BLIND. Berkeley, Cal. **Object:** Education of deaf and dumb, and blind children. **Admission:** All

deaf and dumb, or blind, of age suitable for instruction, of sound intellect, and free from vicious habits and contagious disease. **Management:** Five Directors, appointed by the Governor, and confirmed by the Senate, and a Principal appointed by the Directors; 51 officers. **Income:** State appropriations. Money expended during the year ending June 30, 1893, \$58,575; cost the State for maintenance of 60 pupils from San Francisco, \$16,705.20; number of pupils under instruction during the year, 203; number of teachers, 14. No charge is made for pupils from California, except for clothing and traveling expenses. Pupils from other States pay \$300 per annum. Besides the regular courses, instruction is given in carpentering, printing and typewriting. The institution was organized April, 1860, in San Francisco; thence removed to Berkeley, July, 1869. Property valued at \$450,000. W. Wilkinson, Principal.

**INDUSTRIAL HOME OF MECHANICAL TRADES FOR THE ADULT BLIND.** Oakland, Cal. Joseph Sanders, Superintendent. **Object:** To enable the blind to prepare for self-support. **Admission:** Both males and females, residents of the State, whose physical and mental condition renders them capable of learning a trade. **Administration:** Board of five Directors appointed by the Governor to hold office at his pleasure. Inmates present at the Home during the year ending July, 1892, 85. Expenditures, including shop expenses, \$46,-877.84. Forwarded to State Treasurer, returns for manufactured goods sold, \$22,726.32. Raw material and unsold goods on hand amount to \$1,805.94. Expended in permanent improvements, \$2,202.77. Actual expense of running Home, \$23,754.69. The chief industry is broom making; the inmates are paid wages, and by working regularly one can earn for himself during the year \$200.

**ST. FRANCIS TECHNICAL SCHOOL.** Corner Gough and Geary streets. **Object:** The training of orphan girls over 14 years of age in all branches of domestic work, fine sewing, embroidery and dress-making. The course occupies a period of five years, during which time the pupils support themselves solely by their own industry. When prepared to leave the institution the Sisters procure suitable positions for the girls. **Management:** In charge of the Sisters of Charity. Opened June 15, 1886, with five Sisters and five pupils. Present number of Sisters, 6; pupils, 80.

## Miscellaneous.

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### FREE MUSEUMS.

ACADEMY OF SCIENCES. 819 Market Street. Opened daily, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Sundays, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M. A large collection of curiosities, fossils, antiquities, etc.

CALIFORNIA STATE MINING BUREAU. Pioneer Building. Opened daily except Sunday and holidays, from 10 A. M. to 5 P. M. Contains a valuable collection of minerals, earths and stones from all parts of the world.

SAN FRANCISCO FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY. New City Hall, East wing, facing McAllister street. Hours, 9 A. M. to 9 P. M.; Sundays, 1 to 5 P. M. John Vance Cheney, Librarian. **Administration**: Board of 11 Trustees appointed by the Governor. Term, good behavior. **Income**: Tax not to exceed 1 mill on the dollar. Report for the year ending June 30, 1893: Main branch—number of days opened, 354; number of volumes home use, 147,957; number of volumes library use, 95,-510; average daily use, 687; number of male visitors, 160,189; female, 64,229, Branch No. 1—1131 Valencia street. Number of volumes home use, 18,961; library use, 13,335. Branch No. 2—Potrero, corner Kentucky and Butte streets. Number of volumes home use, 7,225; library use, 5,665. Branch No. 3—1801 Stockton Street. Number of volumes home use, 18,031; library use, 9,941. Branch No. 4—809 Point Lobos avenue. Opened Nov. 7, 1892. Number of volumes home use, 6,887; library use, 3,004. Total number of books in main branch June 30, 1892, 74,672; total added during the year, 6,291; also a full list of current periodicals. Total on shelves of branch libraries, 2,866. Total expenditures for year, \$36,665.27. Organized 1879.

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION. 232 Sutter street. H. J. McCoy, General Secretary. **Object**: To improve the spiritual, mental, social and physical condition of young men. **Admission**: Candidates for active membership must be between 16 and 45 years of age, and in good standing in some evangelical church. Annual dues, \$5.00. Associate

members must be in good moral standing. Dues, \$5.00. Life membership fee, \$100. **Management:** Board of 18 Directors who appoint all other officers. Report for 1893 :

Attendance on religious services.....	34,290
"    reading room.....	93,200
"    at gymnasium .....	33,600
"    baths.....	13,350
"    concerts, lectures, etc.....	11,500
Number found boarding places.....	620
Applications for employment .....	1,188
Employment found for.....	357
Library contains volumes, over .....	4,000
Total receipts, including all branches.....	\$16,400.21
Expenditures.....	16,394.55
Expended for sick and needy young men.....	308.60

German branch, 232 Sutter street. 89 members. Receipts, \$2,083.20 ; expenditures, \$2,063.45. Organized 1883. Twentieth-street branch, 2319 Mission street. 125 members. Attendance at gymnasium, 5,466. Receipts. \$2,991.25 ; expenditures, \$2,884.56. Organized 1887. Deaf-mute Branch, 232 Sutter street, third floor. Established 1884. Park branch—Membership, 80 ; visits to gymnasium, over 3,000. Receipts, \$1,000 ; expenditures, \$928.88. Established 1891. A new building is in process of erection, corner of Mason and Ellis streets. It will cost about \$350,000 and will be ready for occupancy in September, 1894. On moving into the new building the membership fee will be raised to \$10.00 per annum. Organized 1853—nine years after the first association was organized in London. Total expenditures, \$20,307.99 ; receipts for membership dues, \$3,671.85.

## Proposed Charities.

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BRANCH RECEIVING HOSPITAL. At the water front. In contemplation by the Board of Supervisors.

CALIFORNIA SCHOOL OF MECHANICAL ARTS. Suitable buildings will soon be erected at the Potrero. Fund of \$540,000 left by James Lick now available. **Object:** To educate males and females in the practical arts of life. To be open to all youths born in California.

CHILDREN'S DAY HOME. To be opened in the southern part of the city by the Sisters of the Holy Family.

FREE HOSPITAL. To be located on Castro street, between Twenty-ninth and Thirtieth. Will be opened to women and children regardless of nationality, color or religion. Full provision made in the will of the late Mrs. Kate Johnson, filed for probate December 10, 1893. To be in charge of the Sisters of St. Vincent de Paul.

FREE JAPANESE SCHOOL. To be located at 410 Franklin street. Will be maintained and managed by the Seventh Day Adventists.

HOME FOR EX-CONVICTS. To be founded and managed by the Salvation Army. Will welcome such discharged prisoners as desire to learn a trade or to enter upon honest employment.

HOME FOR DESTITUTE HOSPITAL CONVALESCENTS AND DISCHARGED CONVICTS. Non-sectarian. Father Montgomery and Rev. W. H. Tubb are among the chief promoters.

HOME FOR DESTITUTE MEN AND WOMEN. Non-sectarian. To be founded by the Daughters of the Good Shepherd.

HOME FOR DESTITUTE WOMEN AND THEIR CHILDREN. Address Mrs. Clara Hoffburger, room 15, third floor, Mills building.

HOSPITAL. To be erected and maintained by the Ancient Order of Foresters for the relief of their own sick.

LADIES' HAHNEMANN HOSPITAL. Association organized 1889. Has purchased two lots at Sixth avenue and Lake street where it is proposed, as soon as possible, to erect a hospital with a free ward for the sick, poor children. The hospital will be under the medical supervision of homœopathic physicians. **Management:** Board of 21 Managers, elected by the Trustees. **Income:** 92 annual members paying \$5.00; 5 life members, \$100; annual patrons, \$25. \$300 will endow a bed, the donor to have the privilege of nominating a patient for one year, subject to approval of Board of Directors. \$1,000 gives the same privilege during life of donor; \$2,500 passes the privilege on to his or her heirs; \$5,000 by any corporation or association pays for one bed in perpetuity. President, Mrs. E. E. Caswell, 28 Post street.

SOCIETY FOR THE SUPPRESSION OF VICE. **Object:** To regulate the sale of morphine, opium and cocaine, and to cure and reform victims of ruinous drugs. It is proposed to build a home for the treatment of those suffering from these habits. About twenty promoters, Mr. J. Kendal, Dr. James H. Ralston, Chas. A. Marks, and others.

UNEMPLOYED WOMEN. An association of prominent charity workers have joined with the Associated Charities to assist unemployed women. It is proposed to start four co-operative laundries in different parts of the city, and possibly a tailoring shop; later a mending bureau for those less strong will be started. Money is being raised by theatrical benefits, etc.

WILMERDING SCHOOL OF INDUSTRIAL ARTS. \$400,000, left the Regents of the State University by the late J. C. Wilmerding for the maintenance of a school to teach boys how to earn a living with their own hands. Will filed for probate February 28, 1894.

## Appendix A.

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### HEALTH REGULATIONS.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES. General Order Board of Supervisors, No. 1601. Gratuitous vaccination.—Sec. 3. Every physician shall report to the Health Officer immediately every case of Asiatic cholera, or smallpox, and every case of death from the same.—Sec. 6. Every householder shall report every case of sickness or death from the above diseases to the Health Officer.—Sec. 7. Any violation of the above sections is punishable by a fine not exceeding \$500, or imprisonment for six months, or both. The Health Officer may fumigate anywhere he thinks there is need.—Sec. 12.

NUISANCES. All privies, cesspools, sinks and drains must be constructed to accord with directions in order of Supervisors 1666, Sec. 4 and 5, and may be declared a nuisance by the Health Officer if foul or offensive.—Sec. 6. No person shall remove the contents of the above without a permit from the Health Officer.—Order 1826, Sec. 7 and 8. No butchers' offal, garbage or stinking animal or vegetable matter shall be allowed to remain upon the premises or to be thrown upon the streets or public lands or waters about the city.—Order 1601, Sec. 18. Whenever a nuisance exists on any property, the owner of which cannot be found, or on the property of persons who for three days after notice has been served refuses to abate it, the Board of Health shall abate the nuisance and the City Attorney shall recover the expense by action against the property.—Sec. 3028. No person shall maintain a slaughter house or carry on any business offensive to the senses or injurious to health in certain city limits.—Order 1587, Sec. 2. Any violation of the above may be punished by fine not exceeding \$1,000 or imprisonment for six months, or both. Carcasses of animals used for food and transported about the city must be protected entirely from dust and must not be exposed to public view.—Sec. 58. Unlawful to keep swine or more than two cows within certain city limits.—Sec. 63. Any violation of the above may be punished by fine of not more than \$1,000 or imprisonment not to exceed six months, or both.—Order 1587, Sec. 1,

SANITATION OF WORK SHOPS, ETC. Approved February 6, 1889. Must be kept clean and free from effluvia of drain or privy. Separate water closets must be provided for each sex where both are employed.—Sec. 1. Must be well ventilated.—Sec. 2. Basement, cellar, or underground apartment condemned by Commissioner of Bureau of Labor Statistics, shall not be used.—Sec. 3. Commissioner of Bureau of Labor Statistics may order any contrivance to prevent inhalation by employees of injurious dust or gases.—Sec. 4. Seats must be furnished for female employees.—Sec. 5. Any violation of the above punishable by fine of not less than \$50 or more than \$100 for each offense. The Commissioner of Bureau of Labor Statistics must enforce all the above.

LAUNDRY REGULATIONS.—A certificate must be obtained of the Health Officer and Board of Fire Wardens before a laundry can be established (no charge). Work in all laundries must cease between the hours of 10 P. M. and 6 A. M., and on Sunday. Fine for violation not more than \$1,000 or six months imprisonment, or both. Police must enforce this.—Order 1930, Secs. 1-8.

ADULTERATED MILK. Approved March 12, 1870. Fine of \$100 for first offense, double for second; one-half goes to informer.

OPIUM SELLING AND SMOKING. In stated places prohibited.—Penal Code, Sec. 307. Fine not to exceed \$500 or imprisonment six months, or both.

TENEMENT HOUSES. An Act approved April 3, 1876, provides that 500 cubic feet of space for each person must be provided in all tenement houses. Fine for offense, \$50 to \$500 or imprisonment six months, or both.

## Appendix B.

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### LAWS RELATING TO CHARITIES, PAUPERS, VAGRANTS AND MINORS.

COMPILED BY MR. ORRIN KIP McMURRAY.

Restrictions on power to devise to charitable uses. Sec. 1313. Code as amended March 18, 1874. Amendments 1873-4, 275.

No estate, real or personal, shall be bequeathed or devised to any charitable or benevolent society, or corporation, or to any person or persons in trust for charitable uses, except the same be done by will duly executed at least thirty days before decease of the testator, and, if so made, at least thirty days prior to such death, such devise or legacy, and each of them, shall be valid, *provided*, that no such devises or bequests shall collectively exceed one-third of the estate of the testator having legal heirs, and in such case a pro rata deduction from such devises or bequests shall be made so as to reduce the aggregate thereof to one-third of such estate; and all dispositions of property made contrary hereto shall be void, and go to the residuary legatee or devisee next of kin or heirs, according to law.

By Statute February 10, 1881: Stats. and Amdts., 1881, p. 2. The Board of Supervisors or Common Councils or Trustees are authorized to receive or receipt gifts, devises or bequests, and to employ them according to the purposes of the donor if expressed; otherwise, to determine the purposes.

An Act to appropriate money for the support of aged persons in indigent circumstances: Act March 15, 1883, Statutes 1883, 380.—Similar provision is made for aid to institutions for the maintenance of such persons as to orphan asylums. For each indigent aged person so supported the sum of \$100 per annum is appropriated. An institution to receive such aid must support at least ten aged indigent persons, of the age of sixty or over, for whose specific support there is not paid the sum of \$15 or more per month. No institution not under the exclusive control of the State shall receive any aid under this Act unless it owns real property devoted to support of such indigent persons, either solely or in connection with orphans, etc., of the value of at least \$15,000.

PAUPERS. By the Political Code, Sec. 37, Sub. 5, the State has the right to establish custody and restraint of paupers for the purposes of their maintenance.

INDIGENT SICK. Political Code, Sec. 4046, Sub. 5. The Boards of Supervisors in their respective counties have power to provide for the care of indigent sick and otherwise dependent poor of their counties, to erect and maintain hospitals therefor, and to levy the necessary tax, per capita, not exceeding \$3.00, and an ad valorem tax not exceeding 1-5 of 1 per cent on all tax payers and taxable property in the county; also to provide a farm in connection with the County Hospital, and make regulations for working the same.

VAGRANTS. Penal Code, Sec. 647 (Amended 1891). Vagrancy is punishable by imprisonment in the County Jail not exceeding six months.

The classes of vagrants are defined as follows: (1) Every person (except a California Indian) without visible means of living who, having the physical ability to work, does not seek work nor labor when it is offered him. (2) Every healthy beggar who solicits alms as a business. (3) Every person who roams about without any lawful business. (4) Certain criminal offenders who, having no visible means of support, loiters about certain public places and thoroughfares. (5) Every idle or dissolute person who wanders about the streets at unusual hours of the night. (6) Every person who lodges in any barn, etc., without permission from the owner or person entitled to the possession thereof. (7) Every dissolute person who lives in and about houses of ill-fame. (8) Every person who acts as "runner" or "capper" for attorneys about the Police Courts in incorporated cities. (9) Every common prostitute and common drunkard.

Political Code, Sec. 4426. The Police Court has exclusive jurisdiction of proceedings respecting vagrants, lewd or disorderly persons.

MINORS. Protection. Penal Statutes. An Act Relating to Children. Approved March 30, 1878.

*The People of the State of California, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:*

SEC. 1. Any person, whether as parent, relative, guardian, employer, or otherwise, having the care, custody, or control of any child under the age of sixteen years, who shall exhibit, use, or employ, or who shall in any manner, or under any pretense,

sell, apprentice, give away, let out, or otherwise dispose of any such child to any person, under any name, title, or pretense, in or for the vocation, occupation, service, or purpose of singing, playing on musical instruments, rope or wire walking, dancing, begging or peddling, or as a gymnast, acrobat, contortionist, or rider in any place whatsoever; or for or in any obscene, indecent, or immoral purpose, exhibition, or practice whatsoever; or for or in any mendicant or wandering business whatsoever; or for or in any business, exhibition, or vocation injurious to the health or dangerous to the life or limb of such child; or who shall cause, procure or encourage any such child to engage therein, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof, shall be punished by a fine of not less than fifty nor more than two hundred and fifty dollars, or by imprisonment in the County Jail for a term not exceeding six months, or by both such fine and imprisonment; *provided*, that nothing in this section contained shall apply to or affect the employment or use of any such child as a singer or musician in any church, school or academy, or the teaching or learning the science or practice of music; or the employment of any such child as a musician at any concert or other musical entertainment on the written consent of the Mayor of the city or President of the Board of Trustees of the town where such concert or entertainment shall take place.

SEC. 2. Every person who shall take, receive, hire, employ, use, exhibit, or have in custody any child under the age, and for any of the purposes mentioned in the preceding section, shall be guilty of a like offense and punished by a like punishment as therein provided.

SEC. 3. When upon examination before any court or magistrate, it shall appear that any child, within the age previously mentioned in this Act, was engaged or used for or in any business or exhibition, or vocation, or purpose designated, and as mentioned in this Act, and when, upon the conviction of any person having the custody of a child of a criminal assault upon it, the Court or Magistrate before whom such conviction is had shall deem it advisable for the welfare of such child that the person so convicted shall be deprived of its custody thereafter, such Court or Magistrate may commit such child to any orphan asylum, society for the prevention of cruelty to children, charitable or other institution, or make such other disposition thereof as now is or hereafter may be provided by law in cases of vagrant, truant, disorderly, pauper or destitute children.

SEC. 4. Whoever shall wilfully cause or permit any child to suffer, or who shall inflict thereon unjustifiable physical pain or mental suffering ; and whoever, having the care or custody of any child, shall wilfully cause or permit the life or limb of such child to be endangered, or the health of such child to be injured ; or any person who shall wilfully cause or permit any child to be placed in such a situation that its life or limb may be endangered, or its health shall be likely to be injured, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

SEC. 5. All fines, penalties and forfeitures imposed and collected in any county in this State, under the provisions of this and of every act passed, or which may be passed relating to or affecting children, in every case where the prosecution was instituted or conducted by a society incorporated pursuant to the provisions of chapter five hundred and forty-nine of the Statutes of eighteen hundred and seventy-five-six, approved April third, eighteen hundred and seventy-six, being an Act entitled, "An Act for the Incorporation of Societies for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children," shall, except where otherwise provided, inure to such society in aid of the purposes for which it was incorporated.

SEC. 6. This Act shall take effect immediately.

Cf. Sec. 272 Penal Code.

An Act for the Protection of Children and to Prevent and Punish Certain Wrongs to Children. Approved March 30, 1878.

*The People of the State of California, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows :*

SEC. 1. No minor under the age of sixteen years shall be admitted at any time to, or permitted to remain in any saloon or place of entertainment where any spirituous liquors or wines, or intoxicating or malt liquors are sold, exchanged or given away, or at places of amusement known as dance houses and concert saloons, unless accompanied by parent or guardian. Any proprietor, keeper or manager of any such place who shall admit such minor to, or permit him or her to remain in any such place, unless accompanied by parent or guardian, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

SEC. 2. Every person having the care, custody or control of any child under the age of sixteen years, shall restrain such child from begging, whether actually begging or under the pretext of peddling. Any person offending against this section shall be arrested and brought before a Court or Magistrate,

and for the first offense shall be reprimanded, and for each subsequent offense shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

SEC. 3. Any child, apparently under the age of sixteen years, that comes within any of the following descriptions named :

*a.* That is found begging, or receiving or gathering alms, (whether actually begging, or under the pretext of selling, or offering for sale anything), or being in any street, road or public place for the purpose of so begging, gathering or receiving alms.

*b.* That is found wandering, and not having any home or settled place of abode, or proper guardianship, or visible means of subsistence.

*c.* That is found destitute, either being an orphan or having a vicious parent who is undergoing penal servitude or imprisonment.

*d.* That frequents the company of reputed thieves, or prostitutes, or houses of prostitution, or assignation or dance houses, concert saloons, theatres and varieties, or places specified in the first section of this Act, without parent or guardian, shall be arrested and brought before a Court or Magistrate.

When, upon examination before a Court or Magistrate it shall appear that any such child has been engaged in any of the aforesaid acts, or comes within any of the aforesaid descriptions, such Court or Magistrate, when it shall deem it expedient for the welfare of the child, may commit such child to an orphan asylum, society for the prevention of cruelty to children, charitable or other institution, or make such other disposition thereof as now is, or may hereafter be, provided by law in cases of vagrant, truant, disorderly, pauper or destitute children.

SEC. 4. No child under restraint or conviction, apparently under the age of sixteen years, shall be placed in any prison or place of confinement, or in any court room, or in any vehicle for transportation to any place, in company with adults charged with or convicted of crime, except in the presence of a proper official.

SEC. 5. This Act shall take effect immediately.

Penal Code, Sec. 270. Every parent of any child who willfully omits, without lawful excuse, to perform any duty imposed upon him by law to furnish necessary food, clothing, shelter or medical attendance for such child, is guilty of a misdemeanor.

Penal Code, Sec. 271. Parents and others entrusted with the care of children under the age of six years, who desert

such child with intent wholly to abandon it, are punishable by imprisonment in the State Prison not exceeding seven years, or in a County Jail not exceeding one year.

Penal Code, Sec. 308. New Section added March 10, 1891; Stats. 91, p. 91. To sell or in anywise to furnish tobacco to minors under the age of sixteen years, is made a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not exceeding \$100, unless the article is furnished upon a physician's prescription, or upon the written consent of the minor's parents or guardians, obtained by the vendor.

An Act to prevent the sale of intoxicating liquors to minor children. Approved March 10, 1891. Stats. 91, p. 91.

Furnishing minors under the age of eighteen years with intoxicating drink, or as proprietor or manager, permitting such minors to visit a saloon or public-house where intoxicants are sold, for the purpose of playing games of chance, is a misdemeanor punishable by a fine of not less than \$100, nor more than \$300, or by imprisonment in the County Jail for a period not less than a hundred days.

Cf. An Act for the protection of children, and to prevent and punish certain wrongs to children. Approved March 30, 1878. Statutes 1877-8, p. 813. Cited *ante*.

Penal Code, Sec. 336. Every owner, or lessee, or keeper of any house used in whole or in part as a saloon or drinking place, who knowingly permits any person under twenty-one years of age to play at any game of chance therein, is guilty of a misdemeanor.

Penal Code, Sec. 309. It is a misdemeanor to admit or keep minors in a house of prostitution on the part of the proprietor or keeper thereof, and, on the part of the guardian or parent, to sanction or connive at such admission or keeping.

Penal Code, Sec. 1389. New Section added March 15, 1887. Stats. and Amendts. 1887, p. 119. Makes it a misdemeanor for corporations engaged in the business of transmitting messages, parcels, etc., to hire minors in their employ to the keepers of places of questionable repute, or to permit such minors to enter such places of questionable repute. The law is to be enforced against managers, superintendents and agents of such corporations.

Penal Code, Sec. 651. A guardian or master requiring a child to labor more than eight hours in one day, except in vinicultural or horticultural pursuits, or in domestic or household occupations, is guilty of a misdemeanor.

An Act to regulate the hours of labor and employment of minors. Approved February 8, 1889. Stats. 1889, 4.

No minor under eighteen shall be employed in any manufacturing, mercantile or mechanical establishment in any case for more than sixty hours per week. No child under ten shall be employed in such establishments. Minors under sixteen shall have their names recorded in a book kept by the employer, together with a certificate of their age. A notice, stating the number of hours of labor per week required from such minors shall be posted, together with a list of their names and ages, in the room where the minors are employed. The Commissioner of Labor Statistics shall enforce the act, violation of which is punishable by a fine of between \$50 and \$200.

Statutes providing for the care and treatment of dependent minors and juvenile offenders.

Penal Code, Sec. 1388. Where there is reason to believe that a minor offender may be reformed, and that a commitment to prison would work injury, the Court having jurisdiction may suspend final judgment, and commit him to the care of any strictly non-sectarian institution for the reformation of criminal minors for a period of two months, to be further extended by the Court should it be deemed advisable. Should said minor be found incorrigible, he may be returned to the Court for final judgment. No application for guardianship of such minor by any person, parent or friend shall be entertained by any Court during the period of such suspension and custody, save upon the recommendation of the Court before which the criminal proceedings are pending, first obtained. Such Court may also order the payment of the expenses of the maintenance of such minor during said suspension, not to exceed the sum of \$25 in the aggregate, to be paid by the county or out of the estate of the minor, or from his parents. Such order of suspension may be revoked at any time.

An Act to appropriate money for the support of orphans, half orphans, and abandoned children. Approved March 25, 1880. Stats. 1880, p. 3.

For each whole orphan, maintained in orphan asylums or supported by counties, or cities, or towns, one hundred dollars per annum is appropriated; for each half orphan, seventy-five dollars per annum; and for each abandoned child who has been an inmate of the asylum for one year, seventy-five dollars per annum. The management must keep certain books and accounts, which are to be open to the inspection of the State Board of Examiners.

In order to claim support under this Act, an institution must maintain at least twenty inmates, under the age of fourteen

years. No child for whose specific support there is paid to any such institution the sum of \$10 or more per month shall be deemed a minor orphan, half orphan, or abandoned child within the meaning of this Act. The money so appropriated must not be expended in improvements or in the erection of new buildings by such institution.

The provisions for orphans, etc., include foundlings, without regard to the time at which they became inmates. Regularly established foundling asylums are to receive from the State \$12.50 per month for every foundling from its entrance to its decease, or adoption, or arrival at the age of eighteen months, after which time they shall receive \$100 per annum for each infant's support.

An Act to provide for the government and management of the California Home for the Care and Training of Feeble Minded Children. (Approved March 9, 1887. Stats. 1887, p. 69.)

Whenever a parent or guardian, or other person entrusted with the care and support of a child, shall desire the same to be admitted into the California Home for the Care and Training of Feeble Minded Children, he may appear before and petition the Court, or a judge thereof, in the county in which he resides, for an order of admission of said child into said Home. If the Court or Judge, on inquiry into the condition and status of said child, find that the same is imbecile or feeble minded, between the ages of five and twenty-one years, incapable of receiving instruction in the common schools, and has been a resident of the State for one year next preceding the date of the petition, he shall make an order that said child be received into, and maintained and educated in said Home, and, upon the presentation of such order, the Superintendent shall receive such child into said Home; *provided*, the Home be not already full, or the fund available to said Home be not exhausted. If the Judge or Court, on investigation, find that the parent or person charged with the support of such minor, be able, in whole or in part, to pay the expenses of such child at the Home, he is to make an order requiring such parent or other person to pay to said Home, at stated periods, such sums as in the opinion of the Court or Judge may seem proper, while the child is in the Home. This order may be enforced by such order or orders as the Court may deem necessary, and may be varied, altered, or revoked in the discretion of the Court or Judge thereof. The Board may return to its parent or guardian any child who has been an inmate of said Home

for the period of two months. If the capacity of the Home be sufficient, the Trustees may admit persons above and under the required ages, and also non-residents of the character described—but must charge a fair rate of compensation to such persons. Inmates for life may be admitted by the Trustees under such terms of donations, bequests, or grants as they may deem best and just under the circumstances.

The object aimed at in the institution shall be such care, training and education of those received as to render them more comfortable, happy and better fitted to care for and support themselves. To this end, the Trustees shall furnish them such agricultural and mechanical education as they may be capable of receiving, and as the facilities offered by the State will allow, including farm work, shops, and the employment of trade teachers, who may at any time be discharged for cause.

PRESTON SCHOOL OF INDUSTRY. Ione, Amadore Co.  
(Act establishing same approved March 11, 1889, Stats. 89, p. 100. Amended Feb. 27, 1893, Stats. 1893, p. 39.)

Managed by three Trustees appointed by the Governor to act without compensation. The inmates of the school shall be subject to military discipline, and clothed in military uniform, but under no circumstances are they to be clothed in convict stripes. The school is for such juvenile offenders between the ages of eight and twenty-one years, whose sentence is suspended as provided in Sec. 1388 of the Penal Code (*Supra*). Honorable dismissal may be granted by the Board, and conditional dismissal may be granted where a boy is bound by articles of indenture or returned to his parents or person who gives a bond for the proper care of the boy. Such conditional dismissal is made subject to the boy's good behavior. If he violates his parole he may be returned. If a boy is found incorrigible he may be returned to the Court for sentence. Instruction is to be given the inmates corresponding as far as possible with the grammar school course of instruction and also industrial training. "The ultimate purpose of all such instruction, discipline and industries shall be to qualify the inmates for honorable and profitable employment after their release from the institution, rather than to make said institution self-sustaining."

SCHOOL OF REFORM. Whittier, Los Angeles County.  
(Approved March 11, 1889. Stats. 1889, p. 111. Amended March 23, 1893. Stats. 1893, p. 328).

"For the discipline, education, employment, reformation and protection of juvenile delinquents in the State of California." Governed by a Board of three Trustees, appointed by the Governor. Buildings to be arranged in part for male and in part for female delinquents. Similar provisions as to committal of inmates as in Preston School, but more elaborate.

C. Statutes providing for Apprenticeship, Adoption, etc.  
 (a) Apprenticeship. Civ. Code, Secs. 264, 265, 266.

Any minor may bind himself apprentice with the consent of his parents or guardians, or if there be no such person living, then the consent may be given by the Supervisors of the county or by two Justices of the Peace, or by the Superior Court of the County, or if the minor be in an orphan asylum, by the Board of Managers thereof. Such consent must be in writing and indorsed on the indentures.

Civ. Code, Secs. 268-9. Board of Supervisors may bind out minors who are, or shall become, charges on the county. The presiding officer of the legislative board of any town or city, or any public officer appointed to provide for the poor, may in like manner bind out such minors. (See also an Act relative to apprentices and masters. Approved April 3, 1876. Stats. 1875-6, p. 842. Amended 1880, p. 29.)

(b) ADOPTION. See 224 Civil Code. Amd. March 9, 1893. Stats. 1893, p. 111.

A legitimate child cannot be adopted without the consent of parents, if living; nor an illegitimate child without the consent of its mother, if living, except the consent is not necessary from a father or mother deprived of civil rights, or adjudged guilty of adultery, or of cruelty, and for either cause divorced, or adjudged to be an habitual drunkard, or who has been judicially deprived of the custody of the child on account of cruelty or neglect; *provided, however*, that where any such child being a half orphan and kept and maintained within any orphan asylum in this State for more than two years, may be adopted with the consent of the managers of such orphans' home; without the consent of the parent, unless such parent has paid toward the expenses of the maintenance of such half orphan at least a reasonable sum during the said time, if able so to do; and where the parent is a non-resident of this State, such child may be adopted with the consent of the managers of such home, whenever it has been left by its parent in such home for more than one year, whether the parent has contributed anything to its support or not, and the consent of the

parent of such half orphan is not necessary to its adoption whenever the managers of the home are authorized to give such consent as herein provided.

An Act to authorize the managers of orphan asylums to give their consent to the adoption of certain children under their care. (Approved April 1, 1878. Stats. 1877, 1878, p. 963).

Managers of orphan asylums may consent to the adoption of any orphan in their charge in the same manner as parents, *provided*, the orphan child has been in the asylum and supported wholly at its expense for the period of a year prior to the adoption.

# Appendix C.

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## LAWS REGULATING PAWBROKERS

PREPARED BY MR. E. C. HUTCHINSON.

According to the Code: "Municipal Corporations are allowed to license and regulate pawnbrokers, and to enact regulations to protect the public in dealing with them."

Orders of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco now in force:

### ORDER No. 1587.

SEC. 43. Every person engaged in the business of pawnbroker, or the purchase of second-hand clothing, wares or merchandise, shall keep a book, in which they shall enter, at the time of purchase, in the English language:

1. A true and accurate description of every article purchased by them.
2. The name and residence of the vendor.
3. The amount paid.
4. The date and hour of purchase.

Such book shall be exhibited upon request of any police officer of the permanent police force.

### ORDER No. 1589.

SEC. 1. Every person who shall violate any of the provisions of this order, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and, upon conviction thereof, shall be punished by a fine of not more than one thousand dollars, or by imprisonment of not more than six months, or both.

SEC. 9. Every person having a license under the provisions of this chapter shall exhibit the same at all times, while in force in some conspicuous part of his or her place of business, and shall produce the same when applying for a renewal, or when requested to do so by any Supervisor or any officer of the License or Police Department.

SEC. 10. No. XLV. Each keeper of a pawnbroker's office shall pay a license of thirty-one dollars per quarter.

The Code provides as follows:

Political Code, Sec. 3,380. Licenses must be obtained for the purposes hereinafter named, for which the Tax Collector must require payment as follows:

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4th. From each pawnbroker, thirty dollars per quarter.

SEC. 4,045. Allows Board of Supervisors to annually fix licenses for all pawnbrokers.

Penal Code, Sec. 19. Except in cases where a different punishment is prescribed by this Code, every offense declared to be a misdemeanor is punishable by imprisonment in a county jail not exceeding six months, or by a fine not exceeding five hundred dollars, or by both.

Every person who carries on the business of a pawnbroker is guilty of misdemeanor, for

SEC. 338. Receiving goods in pledge at any rate of interest above the rate of ten per cent per annum, except by authority of a license.

SEC. 339. Failure, at time of transaction, to enter in a register kept by him for that purpose, in the English language, the date, duration, amount, and rate of interest of every loan made by him, or an accurate description of the property pledged, or the name and residence of the pledgor, or to deliver to the pledgor a written copy of such entry, or to keep an account in writing of all sales made by him.

SEC. 340. Charging or receiving interest at the rate of more than two per cent per month, or who, by charging commissions, discounts, storage or other charge, or by compounding increases, or attempts to increase, such interest.

SEC. 341. Selling any article pledged to him or unredeemed, until it has remained in his possession six months after the last day fixed by contract for redemption, or who makes any sale without publishing in a newspaper printed in the city, town or county, at least five days before such sale, a notice containing a list of the articles to be sold, and specifying the time and place of sale.

SEC. 342. Willfully refusing to disclose to the pledgor, or his agent, the name of the purchaser and the price received by him for any article received by him and subsequently sold, or who, after deducting from the proceeds of any sale the amount of the loan and interest due thereon, and four per cent on the loan for expenses of sale, refuses, on demand, to pay balance to the pledgor or his agent.

SEC. 343. Failing, refusing, or neglecting to produce for inspection his register, or to exhibit all articles received by him in pledge, or his account of sales, to any officer holding a warrant authorizing him to search for personal property, or the order of a committing magistrate directing such officer to inspect such register, or examining such articles or account of sales.

# Appendix D.

## CORRECTIONS.

COUNTY CLERK (Criminal Department.) Number of examinations of insane, 491; number of commitments, 317; discharged, 172; sent to Home for Inebriates, 2. Of those committed to the asylum, 120 were native born, 193 foreign, and 4 unknown, 131 appeals from Police Judge's Court. 110 writs of *habeas corpus*; 23 minors sent to Whittier; total number of cases for the year, 1,309; total convictions, 278; total receipts, office fees, fines, etc., \$85,296.90; disbursements, \$103,656.50.

HOUSE OF CORRECTION. County Jail No. 2, old San Jose road, Chas. Gildea, Superintendent. On April 17, 1893, the Board of Supervisors passed a resolution abolishing the House of Correction and turning over the property to Sheriff McDade to hold in charge as County Jail No. 2. There is a farm of about ninety acres, fifty of which are under cultivation by the prisoners. Rock is also broken for the roads.

Prisoners committed during first ten months, year ending

June 30, 1893.....	768
Number on hand beginning of year.....	286
Returned from Court and recaptured.....	17
 Total.....	1,071
Discharged on expiration of sentence.....	718
Discharged by order of Court.....	10
Died .....	2
Sent to Insane Asylum.....	4
Sent to City and County Hospital.....	8
Sent to Court.....	12
Escaped.....	16
Prisoners on hand June 30, 1893.....	301
Roman Catholic, 248; Protestant, 442; Hebrew, 10; Unbelievers, 34; Pagan, 34.	
Number of day's labor on roads, quarries, farm, tailor shop, etc.....	53,679
Valued at.....	\$30,231.50

Amount turned into City Treasury for sale products	1,085.95
Value of other products .....	1,350.00
Total expenditures for ten months.....	37,865.90
Average cost per day per prisoner.....	\$0.426
Property in House of Correction valued.....	3,137.60

See Sheriff's report County Jail No. 2 for last two months.

LICENSE COLLECTOR. 206 pawnbrokers' licenses, \$6,180; 9,431 retail liquor licenses, \$188,620; 3,733 grocery and retail liquor licenses, \$74,660; total expenses, \$32,539.38.

POLICE DEPARTMENT. Board of three Police Commissioners appointed by the Governor. Term indefinite. Chief of Police, P. Crowley. (Has held the office for 21 years.) Appointed by Board of Commissioners. Office, New City Hall. Report for year ending June 30, 1893: Total number of officers, 456. Chief may appoint additional number in case of emergency, and to act for 24 hours without pay.

Total number of persons arrested.....	25,989
Total arrests.....	26,982
Dismissed .....	10,834
Convicted .....	14,810
Convicted lesser offense.....	151
Held to answer .....	557
Committed to Whittier.....	61
Committed to Boys' and Girls' Aid Society.....	57
Committed to Youths' Directory.....	2
Committed to Alms House.....	22
Pending.....	488
Insane arrested.....	249
Homeless persons lodged in City Prison.....	764
Lost children returned to parents and guardians.....	423
Amount of property stolen and lost .....	\$97,645.10
Amount of property recovered.....	46,443.60
Number of nuisances abated.....	565
Number of vessels boarded by police.....	330
Number of lottery tickets seized, exclusive of Chinese	311,866
On hand (Chinese lottery tickets seized in past 13 years).....	22 tons
Total number of license-paying saloons June 30, 1892	3,192
Total number of licenses applied for during year.....	1,684
Total number of licenses granted by consent Board...	1,593
Total number of licenses granted on petition of prop- erty holders .....	57
Number of applications refused by the Board.....	156

Number of saloons closed after action of the Board...	157
Number of arrests for violating law.....	75
Total number of license-paying saloons June 30, 1893	3,287
Total arrests for drunkenness.....	14,117
Total expense of department.....	\$636,384.17

POLICE RELIEF AND PENSION FUND. The Treasurer of the city holds back \$2.00 per month of the salary of a police officer, and this fund is held in trust by the Mayor and City Treasurer. At death of an officer, his heirs receive \$1,000. If he resigns because of sickness, he gets back what was paid ; if discharged for incompetency, he gets whatever is allowed him not exceeding one-half of what he has paid ; if discharged for violation of duty, he gets nothing. Total amount expended for year ending June 30, 1893, \$28,922.77. Number of beneficiaries 33, 11 of whom were widows.

POLICE JUDGE'S COURT No. 1. Fines and forfeitures for year ending June 30, 1893, \$20,182.50; expenditures, \$12,300.

POLICE JUDGE'S COURT No. 2. Fines and forfeitures, \$12,733 ; expenditures, \$12,467.40.

POLICE JUDGE'S COURT No. 3. Fines and forfeitures, \$14,618 ; expenditures, \$12,424.52.

POLICE JUDGE'S COURT No. 4. Organized April 1, and tries jury cases principally. Receipts, \$585 ; expenditures, \$3,024.99. Expended in fitting up and organizing Police Court No. 4, \$3,850.06.

Total receipts from Police Judges' Courts, \$48,118.50 ; total expenditures, \$44,066.97.

## PRISONS.

State Board of five Directors appointed by the Governor to hold office ten years. Board Controls prisons, appoints wardens and clerks, and determines what other officers shall be appointed by the warden. The Directors receive traveling expenses only.

STATE PRISON. San Quentin, Cal. W. E. Hale, Warden.	
Number of officers.....	89
Number of prisoners on hand June 30, 1891.....	1,272
Received during the year.....	432

Discharged .....	471
Number on hand June 30, 1892.....	1,233

Native born, 62.37 ; foreign born, 37.63 ; Californians, 22.90 ; San Francisco, 358 persons. Paid for conveying prisoners to San Quentin for year ending June 30, 1893, \$96.90.

During the year a profit of \$39,293.18 was made in the jute department, and 384 garments were made. Net earnings of all departments, \$42,533.16. The library contains 7,530 books and magazines. Number of books issued to prisoners during the year, 29,227. A school was maintained throughout the year where common English branches were taught. Average daily attendance, 34 ; average age, 17 $\frac{3}{4}$  years—(now discontinued). Total expense for the year, \$193,915.97. Average cost per capita per day \$.432. \$5,407.80 was paid by the United States for the support of United States prisoners. Cost of construction, \$307,068.51.

STATE PRISON. Folsom, Cal. Charles Aull, Warden.	
Number of Officers.....	60
Number of prisoners on hand June 30, 1891.....	692
Number received during the year.....	259
Discharged .....	226
Number remaining June 30, 1892.....	725

Native born, 66.76 ; foreign, 33.24 ; from California, 16.22 ; from San Francisco, 247 persons.

Total days labor by prisoners.....	39,857
Earnings of prisoners.....	\$4,600.89
Average cost per capita per day.....	\$0.413

Disbursements, \$163,122.92. Received from the United States for care of United States prisoners, \$633.70. Cost of construction, \$160,865.92.

PRESTON SCHOOL OF INDUSTRY. (In course of construction.) Ione, Cal. E. Carl Bank, Superintendent. Established by an Act of Legislature, approved March 11, 1889. **Object**: To reform young criminals, and to qualify them for honorable employment. **Admission**: Commitment by Police Court or Justice of the Peace, approved by a Judge of the Superior Court of the County, of any boy over eight and under eighteen, found guilty of any offense punishable by fine or imprisonment other than for life. Terms of commitment shall not exceed the time when he shall become twenty-one. Any boy of the above description now serving sentence in any State Prison in the State whom the Trustees deem a fit subject for training may be transferred to the School. **Administra-**

**tion:** Board of three Trustees, appointed by the Governor. Hereafter one will retire each year, and his successor will be appointed for four years. No salary, but reasonable traveling expenses allowed. Board appoints a Superintendent, salary not to exceed \$3,000; and a Military Instructor, salary not to exceed \$1,200; and a Secretary at \$1,500. Other officers appointed by the Superintendent. The inmates will be subject to military discipline, including daily drill. The courses of study will be similar to those prescribed in the grammar schools of the State. Each student must learn some trade. The term may be shortened by good behavior. Honorable dismissal releases from all obligations to the Court. The Board have authority to allow conditional dismissal or parole, providing some suitable person can be found to educate the subject and teach him a trade. The boy must return to the School if unmanageable. Any boy who is unmanageable while at school may be sent to prison by the Court.

The building will probably be ready for from 100 to 150 about May 1, 1894. Cost of construction, \$305,000. It can be fitted to accommodate about double that number with little additional expense. Estimated cost for maintenance of 100 pupils for the next two years, \$40,000. The School was named in honor of ex-Senator Preston, of Nevada City, who was instrumental in its establishment.

**SHERIFF.** J. J. McDade. (Elective.) Amount of fees received from Superior Court, \$9,241.07; Justices' Court, \$6,364.34; expense of Justices' Courts, \$19,041.56; amount received for board of U. S. prisoners, \$4,936.20; total receipts, \$20,531.61.

Prisoners in County Jail, No. 1, June 30, 1892.....	243
Received during the year.....	1,977
Remaining June 30, 1893—males, 291; females, 62....	353
Total value of property in jail.....	\$1,147.30
Cost of rations.....	\$21,573.56

#### COUNTY JAIL, NO. 2. (Old House of Correction.)

Number of prisoners, April 30, 1893.....	300
Committed during the following two months.....	133
Returned from Court and recaptured.....	7
Total.....	440
Discharged .....	194
Prisoners on hand, June 30, 1893.....	24
Native born.....	8

Foreign .....	58
Number of days labor performed.....	9,005
Value of labor performed.....	\$5,350.50
Total expense for two months.....	\$7,569.87
Average cost per day, per prisoner.....	\$0.454
Expended on behalf of County Jail, No. 3, (Industrial School, now at Whittier,) transportation, maintenance, etc.....	\$23,908.30

STATE REFORM SCHOOL. Whittier, Los Angeles Co., Cal. **Object**: Educational and reformatory. **Administration**: Board of three Trustees, appointed by Governor; term, four years. School opened July 1st, 1891. State appropriations for maintenance to June 30, 1892, \$40,000. Amounts paid by Counties as their moiety for maintenance of pupils, (\$9 per month per pupil,) \$7,705.24. State appropriation for land, buildings, equipment, etc., \$434,832.67. Disbursements, \$408,502.49.

From July 1, 1891, to June 30, 1892, admitted by commitment—males, 253; females, 58; dismissed on expiration of term, and by order of Court or Trustees, etc., males, 12. Total number remaining June 30—males, 244; females, 55; 93.26 per cent were native born, and 6.74 per cent foreign; 56.59 per cent of mothers native, and 43.41 per cent foreign. Fathers, 48.88 per cent native, 51.12 per cent foreign. Term of commitment from six months to five years, and indefinite. Commitment by Court or Judge between the ages of ten and sixteen for any criminal offence except it be capital, vicious and incorrigible conduct or moral depravity. Dressmaking and cooking taught the girls. Twelve girls are learning tailoring. Boys taught farming, baking and any chosen trade, so far as possible. Pupils do most of the cooking, butchering, dining-room work, electrical engineering, etc. Work in shoe-shop valued at \$676.01; carpenter and cabinet, \$2,719.68; paint shop, \$1,003; blacksmith, \$1,389.20; farm, \$5,692.69; garden, plants and shrubs, \$1,106.15. There are 160 acres of land.





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